

She took with her the ashes

of her husband, Prajadhipok.

Prince of Sukhodaya, King of Siam from 1920 until he ab-

He died in England in 1941.

The ex-King's standard was

Princess Rhambai Barni is 43.

She was received by the Queen

at Buckingham Palace early in

the ex-King's ashes was car-

ried on board by Colonel Synsti,

the Queen's brother, who was preceded by a Royal Household

official carrying the late King's

Buddha which he took with

him when he and the Queen

left Slam in 1934 for a grand

Stamese Army, Navy and Air

Force officers accompanied the

party, and the Siamese National

Anthem was played by a British

Princess Rhambal Inspected a

placed on a pedestal in an ante-

room to the Queen's cabin where

they will remain during the

in the Royal Palace at Bangkok.

ship's library.—Reuter.

They will ultimately be placed

Before the liner sailed members of the Siamese household

FLOODS DESTROY

VILLAGES

Before boarding the liner

The casket and Buddha were

The bronze casket containing

flown from the liner's yard-

diented in 1935.

European tour.

military band.

guard of honour.

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TODAY'S WEATHER: Light or moderate Easterly winds. Cloudy, occasional rain, improving and becoming warmer. Noon Observations: Barometric pressure, 10181, mbs., 30.06 in. Temperature, 74.8 deg. F. Dew point, 69 deg. F. Relative humidity, 83. Wind direction, NE. Wind force, 7 knois.

Low water: 1 ft. at 7.46 p.m. High water: 3 ft. 9 in. at

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# Returning

#### From Exile Southampton, May 1 .--Lvacuees Ex-Queen Rhambai Barni, of Siam, left here today for home in the 21,000-ton liner Railway Station Willem Ruys after 14 years' exile in Britain.

#### VICTORY REDS?

Shanghai, May 2.—The wild exodus from threatened Hangchow, key point in the Nationalist defence line running from Ningpo on the coast to Nanchang in Kiangsi Province, is in full swing following the evacuation of the scenic Chekiang capital by the Provincial Government, military and police, according to semi-official reports here this morning.

Refugees, with little bundles of possessions, are said to be pouring out of the abandoned city to the south and south-west as Red units continued approaching the strategic centre from the north.

Hangchow Railway Station is reported to be packed tight with a mass of struggling humanity numbering over 15,000 impatiently awaiting trains to speed them to safety along the only communication artery to the south—the Hangchow-Nanchang Railway.

But according to the official Central News Agency they will probably have to wait a long time before they see another train as the Chekiang-Kiangsi Railway Administration has temporarily suspended its service between the Kiangsi and Chekiang capitals after exhausting its coal supply. The Shanghai-Hangchow Railway, however, is reported to be still operating normally although there is no longer any fixed schedule for

and Embassy officials paidhomage to the ex-Queen in the military situation around Saturday night after enagaging Hangchow but hints again of a the Communists in a pitched new threat to Shanghai from battle.

trains.

the north-west. force in Changshu, 50 miles on the Nanking-Shanghai Rail- the Nationalists in the Nankingnorth-west of Shanghai, "con- way, the communique claimed Shanghai-Hangchow area. tinued to be strengthened" and that the Communist 20th Army | The Reds said eight Chinese to-hand scuffles. waters swept down the eastern Identified the Red force in och were forced to withdraw to the government armies were "wiped slopes of the Atlas Mountains Identified the Red force in och were forced to withdraw to the government armies were "wiped

cattle herds and crops. The Chen Yi's 31st Army. swollen Moulaya River carried At the same time the com- forces. away several of its bridges. munique mentioned that the

Marrakesh was estimated at there was very high. mitted the loss of the highway voluntary withdrawal of Na-

makes no mention of the Nationlist forces abandoned on ter.

It said that the Communist about 35 miles west of Shanghai claimed a "great victory" over

The Red force was said to At Missour, a town between situation in Tuicheung, about have suffered heavy casualties. the Middle and Upper Atlan 30 miles north-west of Shang- In Klangsi Province Comranges, six Arabs were drowned. hai, was calm and that the munist General Liu Po-cheng's Damage in the Dester region of morale of Nationalist troops troops entered Pengtse, a few The Garrison statement ad- port of Klukiang, after a

To the west of Kunshan, voicecast on Sunday night

slopes of the Arius Mountains cupation of that city as General vicinity of Weiting when out" and portions of four other today, destroying Arab villages, cupation of that city as General vicinity of Weiting when out" and portions of four other

army and parts of the 40th, 54th firmation of this Red claim. In a letter delivered late Sunday afternoon, the Shanghai Garrison informed the Press:

"All news reports to be supplied to local or other cities banners and cheered this new abroad are to be submitted to attempt but their cheers were

came effective on April 30. It listed five classes of "prohibited" police tear down Communist reports and said. "offenders are banners. liable to be punished according to martial law."

the anti-Communist war. All Hyde Park, which came under editorials and reports detrimental the temporary ban on political to public safety or order. All processions in London recently rumours to disturb the people's in:posed by the Home Secreconfidence. All propaganda for tary, Mr Chuter Ede. Communists. All editorials or reports detrimental to co-operation between the army and the hundred people had gathered

following reports were issued from Shanghai:)

#### GARRISON COMMUNIQUE

munist exertions are towards Hangehow and not Shanghat was contained in the Garrison communique issued on Sun-

More than 3,000 Reds at- march into the Square. tacked Wukinng, a small rall town about 10 miles South of Soochow on the old Soochow-Kashing rallway, which has

The communique said "after a before order was restored. violent battle, the defending army retreated towards a second defence line near Pingwang. Pingwang is another rail stop

would seem to put the Reds Eastern districts, many of them ture of his informal exploratory Acheson, who was spending the who was off duty went on a within 15 miles of Kashing.

Kashing is the junction of the Soochow-Hangehow and Shang- then rushed into the read to . hal-Hanchow railroads. Its march to Cranbourne Street expected to discuss the Intest len, Counsellor of the State tured. capture would cut the Shanghal- where the Communist Secretary, developments with Mr Dean Department, an expert, on Hangehow line, which was still Mr Harry Pollitt, was due to ad- Acheson, the U.S. Secretary of Russian policy, and with Mr. lies said the soldier was under .....

### London Demonstrators Padlock Themselves To Railings

London, May 1.-Nine young demonstrators, believed to be Communists, chained and padlocked themselves to the railings of the American Embassy in Grosvenor Square, Mayfair, tonight, and shouted anti-American slogans and distributed leaflets.

After earlier clashes in Trafalgar Square, a strong force of mounted and foot police moved tonight into the East End of London, where Sir Oswald Mosley, the former British Union of Fascists leader, arrived in Ridley Road, the East End storm centre, for a May Day "social evening" with his supporters. The Union Movement chief was greeted by a storm of cheers mingled with boos and hisses as he arrived, standing erect in a big American touring car.

Ridley Road, situated in a largely Jewish-populated area, has, since the end of the war, been the scene of repeated violent clashes between Mosley supporters, who staged meetings there, and anti-Fascists.

Mosley's "social evening" was held in a public house, while a crowd of several thousand surged outside, held in check by the police. When Sir Oswald left the public house, the crowd had dwindled to a few dozen. Boos and shouts of "Down with Fascism" competed with cheering by Mosley supporters as he drove off.--Reuter.

## May Day In London Marked By Fights With Police

### COMMUNISTS ATTEMPT TO DEFY

London, May 1.—Police and May Day demonstrators clashed in the British capital today in a swaying battle lasting over two hours as Communists and their supporters tried to form processions in defiance of the official ban on political marches.

At one stage anti-Communists, including Mosley supporters, entered the fray, attacking marchers who attempted to reach Trafalgar Square, traditional centre for public meetings, close to Whitehall, the Government quarter.

horse-back and on foot con- hundreds of cars and scores of crowd. centrated on seizing the ban-

Policemen lost their helmets | In the melee, and their horses

\_Acting\_upon\_what\_appeared themselves into a procession

#### CROWDS BOO

police quickly dispersed them.

Other Communists in the Square waved their flags and drowned by crowds who booed in chorus.

Some people helped the

The Trafalgar Square meeting was organised by the London Trades Council in place of its customary procession from "All editorials detrimental to the banks of the Thames in

> Shortly before 3 p.m. several In the Square.

Young people threaded their Nelson Column shone in the

Dozens of extra police were stationed around the Square. Shortly before the meeting began, about a dozen young men and women carried small Red flags around the crowd. A group of Communists formed up in a nearby sifteet, unfurled their banners and prepared to

#### BANNERS TORN DOWN

got there first and banners were is that more talks will be ciple on the lifting of the 10. and children alike are affected.

ther attempts to march into the France will join in the next justment, or whether substan-

carrying furled banners. Large groups of demonstrators inp of the blockade.

meeting. turns here tomorrow.

Towards the end of a series | The police counter-attacked | double-decker buses were

## Celebrates

San Francisco, May 1 .-May Day parade scenes in China's Red capital, Peiping, included a procession made up as "enemies of the people-Uncle Sams linked arms with Japanese generals and John Bulls dragging on strings of battleships called Ame-

This was reported today by the Communist Pelping Radlo which says that millions of people participated in the celebrations in hundreds of towns and

Above the gates of Peiping's old Forbidden City two glant portraits of Mao Tse-tung and Commander-in-Chief Chu

quarters war, communique south of Soochow which the the communique added.—Reu- of violent incidents, police on to break up - the procession as stalled amid the milling, fighting Mr Pollitt. - at his meeling,

told a crowd of 2,000 that in China "the second greatest event in modern world history" was Autumn, being brought to its "tremendous conclusion."

Revolution of 1917, and the Associated Press. second, shortly to be witnessed, was the culminating event of "the entire Chinese continent Coming under the Red fing of TORNADOES Socialism."

The British Communist leaders called for the "immediate recognition, of the Chinese Democratic Government," the withdrawal of all: British warships from Chinese waters, and the sending of special ambassadors to Nanking to open trade negotiations with the new China.—Reuter.

PELTED WITH EGGS Thurnscoe, Scuth Yorkshire, despite the miners' hostile attitude, and heckling.

The demonstrations followed questions from speciators about national guardsman, was killed the action of the Chinese Communists in firing on British warships in the Yangtse Riverrecently.-Reuter.

## DIE AIR CRASH

#### Berlin Airlift Disaster

Berlin, May 1 .-- A British airlift plane missing since Saturday was found today crashed in the Soviet zone with all four members of the crew dead.

The plane, a four engined Halton returning from Berllin to Western bases through the Hamburg corridor, was found near Nauen about 20 miles Northwest of Berlin. The police notified the Allied Air Safety Centre here and two Royal Air Force officers confirmed the information.

An RAF mission was dispatched to get Soviet approval to remove the bodies. The mission will also try to find out from examination of the wreckage what caused the

The plane was operated by World Air Freight, a civil 'line. The crash lifted the airlift death toll to 51, including 23 British and 28 Americans. The British side of the airlift

was inspected yesterday by Mr Geoffrey de Freilas, Under Sceretary of State for Air. He told correspondents that the British plan to bring in more and more four engined planes to replace, twin engine Dakotas and thereby treble the

tonnage brought to Berlin. The Americans shifted to all four engined planes last Mr de Freitas lest Gatow

airport for Luebeck and a quick The first was the Russian tour of the British zone .-

## 10 DEATHS

Oklahoma City, May 1 .-At least ten persons were counted dead today and more than 70 injured in a May 1.-Two hundred miners crazy quilt pattern of bombarded with bad eggs a tornadoes that roared across small Communist group holding Oklahoma and a section of an open air May Day meeting Texas. Damages in here today. The eggs struck Texas. Damages in three of the chief speakers, Oklahoma alone were exwho carried on the meeting pected to exceed \$1,000,000. There was a possibility of more deaths as unconfirmed

reports in Oklahoma said a and another missing. The twisters struck Northeast Texas and: Central Oklahoma Inte yesterday and lashed on through the night. The gales struck mostly at sparselysettled areas, minimizing the extent of casualties.

Farm houses and other buildings were damaged, cars smashed, trees uprooted and electric lines were torn down by the winds.-United Press.

#### Mystery Illness Kills 8 People

Nicosia, Cyprus, May 1.-A mystery illness in the village of Aska in the Nicosia district of Cyprus and today taken the lives of eight villagers while 18

are seriously. ill. Doctors, who have not yet found the cause of the out-Nobody knows which party is | So far, there has been no break, describe the symptoms going to do that or when it will official indication whether or ar of the influenza type follow-

Frankfurt, May American military policeman talks regarding a possible lift- weekend at his Maryland farm, wild shooting spree in Stutt-He has also had detailed dis- gart today and killed three The American spokesman is cussions with Mr Charles Boh- Germans before he was cap-

### Reuter

100 million francs.--

### EDITORIAL Russia Changing Her Policy

FIRST rumours that Russia was willing to modify her policy in Germany to the extent of lifting the Berlin blockade have given place to more tangible signs, notably Soviet-sought talks between Mr Malik, the Russian delegate to the United Nations, and Dr Jessup of the United States, as well as obvious preparations on the part of the Soviets for the resumption of traffic between Eastern and Western Germany. The significant aspect of the current moves to end the Berlin blockade is that the initiative has come from Russla; moreover there is attached a condition not unacceptable to the Western Powers-n meeting of the Council of Foreign Ministers. Hitherto Russians have insisted that they would lift the blockade only on condition that firstly the currency question was satisfactorily (to them) settled and that the Western Powers agreed to remove their counter-blockade. But now the Russians are taking a much more reasonable line. They do not demand that the currency problem be solved prior to the lifting of the blockade: this question they are now prepared to have discussed by the Council of Foreign Ministers, But there is still a point remaining to be elucidated beyond .ali possible. doubt: that is, whether the Soviet Government has in mind to set any unacceptable prior conditions to the proposed timetable of fixing a date for the Council of Foreign Ministers followed by the simultaneous lifting of the Berlin blockade and counter-blockade. It would be quite an unacceptable precondition, for example, if the Russian Government were to demand any delay in the establishment of a Government in Western Germany, now expected to take place towards the middle of July. For the course of events which have led to the setting up of a German administration in the West

have consistently taken the view that the achievement of a genuinely independent, democratic government for Germany as a whole must be the ultimate goal of Allied policy, and despite the severe setback to international co-operation resulting from Soviet obstructionism as early as the Autumn of 1945, these Powers attempted throughout the period up to the breakdown of the Council of Foreign Ministers in December, 1947, to reach an agreement with the Soviet Government on a single Allied policy for Germany. But the London meeting of the Council late in 1947 made it plain that the Russian Government was more concerned with the delivery of propaganda speeches directed at the German public than with reaching an agreement, and the Western Powers had no alternative but to pursue an independent course for the establishment of a German Government for Eastern Germony. A point has now been reached where the setting up of this government circumstances will the holding of any

is well known. The Western Powers is in sight, and, quite naturally the Western Powers are resolved that in no meeting of the Council of Foreign Ministers be allowed to interfere with or deflect them from their plans to establish a German Government for Western Germany. This can be regarded as an essential precondition on the part of the Western Powers for any high level talks concerning the lifting of the Berlin blockade, and any attempt by the Soviets to strike a bargain that involved surrender of this position will be flatly rejected. Lifting of the Berlin blockade is highly desirable, but not at the expense of the Western Powers' democratic policy, so carefully developed and so clearly beneficial to the German

#### "GREAT VICTORY" Shanghai, May 2.—The ners carried by the demonstra-Peiping Communist radio in a tors, tearing them to shreds and breaking the staves. The demonstrators, including many girls and women, engaged the constables in hand-

The broadcast listed the 4th. were hit. 20th, 28th, 41st, 51st, 66th 88th, and 99th armies as "wiped out". It said the bulk of the 21st to be a signal a large body of and 96th armies were "routed." with banners holsted but the There was no Nationalist con-

censorship."

The letter said censorship be-The following were listed as

prohibited:

The letter said two copies of news reports must be submitted way among the crowds selling dally to the censors' office, Left-wing publications. Banners established in the Central Daily against the plinth of the famous

(Before its imposition, the bright, Spring sunshine,

Further evidence that Com-

not been in operation for reveral years.

about 13 miles farther south, ceeded. The communique indicated the fighting occurred on the Western side of the old rail line and

open on Sunday morning. (Continued on Page 5)

## Peiping Also

thyst".

Teh were set up. Banners called for increased production and the transformation of China into an industrial country. -Reuter.

### LIFTING BERLIN BLOCKADE TALKS Telephone Call May Do

#### The Trick Washington, May 1.—The only thing needed to fix another American-Soviet meeting on the Berlin blockade problem is a telephone call, a State Department spokesman said tonight. The next meeting between Dr Philip Jessup, the United States

Ambassador-at-large, and M. Jacob Malik, the Soviet delegate to the United Nations, will be called when one or the other party picks up the telephone and requests a further talk, the spokesman added.

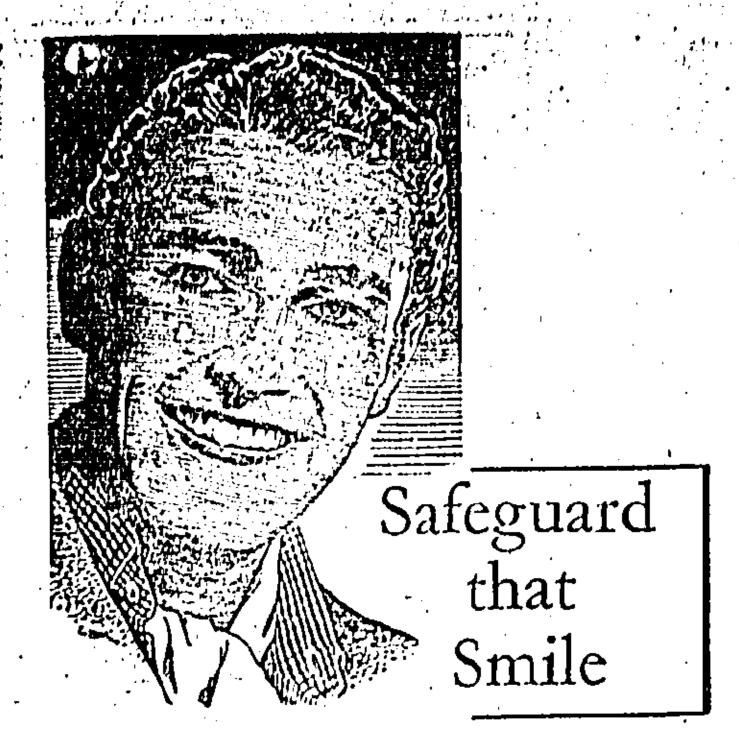
torn down and blows exchanged held, presumably some time month old Berlin blockade and Mounted police were brought | Another question of the mom- meeting has been reached, unlikely to spread to adjoining

Square, and the meeting pro- meeting. Dr Jessup has been tial difficulties yet remain. keeping the British and French At the same time hundreds of representatives, Sir Alexander Dr Jessup, who remained in people were walking towards the Cadegan and M. Jean Chauvel Washington today, has reportcentre of the city from the respectively, informed of the na- ed on the telephone to Mr.

dress a Communist-organised State, when Mr Acheson re- Dean Rusk, the Assistant Se- the influence

but a hostile section of the crowd be done, he said. What is known not an understanding in prin- ed by pneumonia. Men, women a Council of Foreign Ministers' that the disease is localised and into position to prevent any fur- ent is whether Britain and leaving only the details for ad- villages.—Associated Press.

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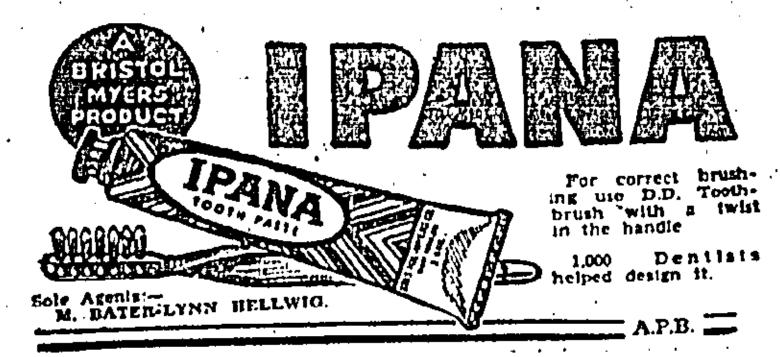


TP your gums flash a warning tinge of "pink" on your tooth brush, consult your dentist.

There may be nothing seriously wrong . . but don't take chances . . . let your d'entist decide. He may explain "a simple case of tender gums -gums robbed of work by to-day's soft and creamy foods". His advice will probably be "more work and resistance for lazy gums" and often, "the helpful stimulation of Ipana Tooth Paste and massage".

Adopt this simple dental health routine: Brush your teeth with Ipana every morning and evening, followed by vigorous gum massage with Ipana on the finger-tip. Teeth become brighter, more lustrous; gums firmer, healthier.

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## Eight shopgirls get the chance to be models

lieves its sales girls

blondes and one brunette as models.

Paper

mannequins, and is giving they are keen to learn and the them the chance to prove offert is worth it," she said to-day. "The models are in their late toens and early twenties and From scores of volunteers carn £4 to £4 10s. a week has chosen a team of working in the store's various

Twenty-year-old Mrs Enid Roland (5ft. Sin. tall, 35in. bust, Mrs Judith Searle, attractive 25in, waist and 30in, hips), is so

Buyer Mrs Searle and Instructress Betty White with Ivy Denham

In The Modern Home

bring with them thoughts

come a long, long way since the window is narrow.

We can recall trying out new offerings are handsome

some paper draperles when indeed. Shaggy orange and

they first appeared in the yellow tulips on a deep blue

stores. They looked nice, and ground is a design so fine that

we had congratulated ourself it could grace the finest chintz.

on using them during the sum- Then there is a handsome leaf

mer for they were so pretty, design in green tones, a

and, of course, cool. But came modern handling that is smart.

a humid spell and water would This paper has a plastic coat-

collect on the floor, under the ing so that it can stand a damp

We discovered that a chemical For a real vernal touch how

treatment, used to soften the about draperies in white with

paper, had the unfortunate a design of large lily bouquets

result of making it very water- blue and flamingo pink with

There's no chance of such a cotton textured rug and a chair

calamity in the new papers, upholstered in flamingo cotton

Not only that but the new in a bright, sinining weave

paper draperies are fiame- completed a handsome hall

which makes them alco for Modern Swedish piece are

country cottages and such. Be- attracting much attention

cause of improved printing whenever shown. An excellent

processes, some papers may piece, a good choice in a small

even get an occasional going- interior is a round, revolving

over with slightly damp cloth, dining table, that, when not in

without having the colour regular use, can be lowered to

smudge: Then some papers coffee table height. It comes

resistant and mildew-proof, setting at a recent showing.

drapes and cause black stains, cloth wiping.

their introduction, and offer a

wonderful range of colour

New Draperies

nbsorbent,

of new drapes, new wall have turned-over edges with a

coverings, and, in general thread concealed in the folds, new furnishings throughout at the edges.

Rosemary Robinson, Enid Roland, Patrica Little and Ann Brown.

residing in temporary quarters, separate tie-backs. Another laps are just about impervious

Popular designs

deep green leaves, the drapery

swag lining in a matching

shade of flamingo?

Of all the designs, the old

most popular thought, and the ference.

Draperies, New

"My husband and I both sell be- been the store's fashion buyer for theatre tickets for a living and it six months, thought of the iden, would give us something different to talk about," she said. "Also, I might be able to carn enough money to have someone help me do my housework."

> If any of the girls show special keenness and promise Mrs Searle will try to find them full-time job as a model, as "it would be unfair to hold them back although we are most anxious keep them ourselves."

> > AT THE STORE

"The plan is proving a trewoman in her thirties, who has thrilled with the idea that she, mendous success, and I think we

like most of the other girls, wants in Richmond have something to to become a professional model. offer the West End," Comman-'der Sydney Smith, general manager of the store said.

> "Training is continuing, but a first experimental show went without a mishap and all the girls looked beautiful.

"If we had to employ professional models we could never have put on the show as it would have cost us three times as

"Professional models are very temperamental and ours are charming and easy to work with.

"To show our gratitude we have\_given them each a pair of nylons and a hair-set. "And the chairman is so pleas-

ed with them that he's invited them all out to lunch in the West End and to a theatre after."

-(London Express Service).



Back at her hairdressing job, Ann Brown attends to n customer.

### Flies, Agent In Spread Of Diseases By HERMAN N. BUNDESEN, M.D.

SHAFTS of sunlight By ELEANOR ROSS with two leaves that extend it glinting into the house By ELEANOR ROSS to a generous oval, and all in ease than it is at present, it

or perhaps a new piece of colour drapes as well as two- a neat consolution prize in the nowadays are important in meat platter. colour stripes, and others are form of a really wonderful spreading other diarrhocal While it would be fine to printed to simulate woven underlay, rubber, over quarter diseases, particularly what is "I keep it just for the purposes rich. But as most of us prefer ies, many of us, especially if simulate tassels, and there are makers claim that these under-infection.

DDT Used

trifle more than the regular country were divided into two ever fall!" - hair type underlays but it has similar areas. One set of towns so many advantages, is so was sprayed every six weeks pleasant to the feet, that one with DDT. During this time, design and style, and better standby, florals, are still the soon forgets the price dif- the number of flies in the towns was determined by making periodic counts. If it was noted that the number of flies was increasing, treatment with the DDT was again car-

> twice a week The other set of towns was left untreated. Children of both towns were studied carefully by making cultures of the stools for the Shigella germs, and a careful study was made of all deaths from diarrhoeal diseases.

As the use of DDT progressed, a decrease in the number of cases of diarrhoea due to Shigella infection in the treated towns, was noted.

Towns Reversed towns previously treated were pepper. not sprayed, and, in the other towns. DDT spraying was em-

When this happened, the number of cases of diarrhoen in in a sauce pan. Add 2 thsp. flour Spread half the chopped onton the sets of towns was also re- and stir together until blended. on this; put in the fillets, dot versed. In other words, as the Gradually add % c. milk, and with 1 the butter or shortening number of flies increased cook and stir until boiling, and add the remaining onion diarrhoen increased. It would Separate 3 eggs. Beat the whites mixture. Bake about 40 min. in seem, therefore, that there is stiff and the yolks until very a moderate oven, 350-375 F. a direct relationship between thick. Add the yolks to the mix- Serve plain, or with heated tinthe number of flies and the ture in the sauce pan. Stir in 3 ned tomale sauce, or for a very spread of diarrhoeal infections, thep. sugar and 1/2 c. coarse- dressed up meal, use real Holparticularly the Shigella dy- chopped, drained stewed prunes landaise.

Everyone should accept, as a duty, his part in keeping down

## What Makes Us

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### Don't Use Soiled Powder Puff



A smart compact is a good-grooming accessory every girl needs. This one has a flowered enamel cover and a deep well to hold powder.

By HELEN FOLLETT

cosmetics, perfumes and pro- pores. This practice is a comold powder bag for months, especially, must take pains to.
It does not make sense. These keep the cutaneous surface lamb's wool items are inexpen- scrupulously clean, especially sive, should be bought by the if it is inclined to be oily. dozen so there will always be n clean, fresh one at hand. If The little pad in the rouge they are washed carefully they compact is under indictment will not mata

They kick around the draw- Maybe some bright cosmeticer of the dressing table when chemist will hit upon the idea they should be kept in a cei- of throwing in half a dozen: lophane envelope. One sees little pads with every compact, them lying on dust-covered It would be a hygienic stepdesks in offices. Some day forward, no doubt about it. there will be provided other means of putting on the dull. Let the careless girl who lets; finish, some substitute will be her powder pad rattle round designed that is more samtary, lose in her purse refrain from that can be thrown away even lamenting it she picks up a. day. Let us hope.

A girl will take great pains sory every girl should have. to remove make-up with Just be sure to replace thecream. Then she will fastidi- powder pull often.

FITHE soiled powder pad is ously wash her sacred phiz L nothing less than a menuce, with soap and water. After drying she will ply the powder Women will fling money for pad that forces soil into the fessional attentions at the mon source of blackheads that beautery and will use the same develop into none. Teen-agers,.

> though that, in its case, isn't' likely to pick up much dust.

> skin infection. A smart compact is a good-grooming acces-

# Let's Eat

all, is a very new and different was known that the control of flies was important in help- budget, the Chef suggests a make wall board.) ing to prevent the spread of brown-veal casserole. Minnie's Next the juice is purified and A very handsome dining this condition since it could be fried chicken was unusually evaporated. During the process.

ried out, sometimes as often as

ployed.

the number of flies.

## Young

A SKIRT, A CAPELET and a old body and a very young heart. It is not the colendar and tume. The blouse is of white the birthday book that deter- sugar cane fields, and watched melted. Bake about 12 min. in a Inside before pulling them WHERE there's rub, there's mousseline de sole lucked in mine your ago. It is the soul huge machines cutting the cane, moderate oven, 875 F., or until over shoes. Otherwise they may W likely to be a hole in socks, crossbar effect. The skirt has a within, and the eyes you look This was loaded on trucks, taken the banana is soft. Basto occasoil or discolour shoes, cloth- To save wear and eventual one-sided panaler drope and an out with, and the mind that to mill conveyors, and passed signally with the jelly mixture. ing specialists of the U. S. De- holes at heel of too, rub on a inverted pleat in front, and is thinks and the heart that feels. through cano knives which sliced partment of Agriculure say. little wax or parama. It will topped by a leather belt. The It is health that makes young and cut it into convenient small Rubbing the inside of over- not show, will last through espelet has dolmanlike sleeve blood; not mere health of body, pieces. Then for the pressing out shoes with a damp cloth occa- several washings, will case the effect. The fabric is black crepe but health of temper, health of of the sweet fuice. (Part of the

## A Fried Chicken Luncheon

and thin on the edge, and high filtering, and evaporating, when as a levee on top. But you don't the sugar is crystallised, and less exotic. So it is nice to find of matching design that can be even a new rug. Of course this carry this disease, a study was dining-room. I'd sure feel dis- form with which we are familiar. that paper draperies have gathered onto the rod, if carpet cushion does cost a carried out. The towns in the graced if a souffle of mine should

Citrus Fruit Cup Fried Chicken Mushroom Sauce Fluffy Mashed Potatoes Tomato and Lettuce Salad Young Onions Prune and Pecan Souffle Coffee

> All Measurements Are Level Recines Serve Four

Mushroom Sauce

Melt 11/2 tbsp. butter or marga-

rine in a sauce pan. Stir in 14 tbsp. flour, and continue to cook and stir until it turns light brown. Gradually stir in 1c. tinned consomme or beef bouillon, or use 1 c. water and 1 bouillon cube. Add 1 (3 oz) tin mushrooms with the liquid (either mush-Towns Reversed
After a period of time, the mushrooms). Bring to boiling Baked Fish Fillets Louisiana treated and untreated towns point. Add the juice 1/4 lemon were reversed; that is, the and season to taste with salt and

Prune and Pecan Souffle

mixed with 14 c. fine-chopped pecans. Fold this into the beaten egg whites. Transfer to a shallow qt.-sized baking dish. Bake 25 min, in a moderately hot oven, banana for each person. Cut off 350-375 F. Serve immediately, the tips, Peel the bananas and with soft custard or a thickened halve lengthwise. Then cut each sauce made of stewed prunes and half in two, making 4 sections juice, or with whipped cream.

#### Sugar in the Making.

new furnishings throughout the house. Most of us will be glad to settle for something new, be it draperies. the living room done over, the living room done over, or perhaps a new piece of colors at the edges.

which makes them tear proof at the edges.

With all these improvements the process room group is in circassian done in a veneer-like interpolation process. A very handsome dining carried by files. Of course, to make sure that they were pure.

It would seem that flies are smart sold as it was, on a huge old china as it was, on a huge old china as it was, on a huge old china new to meat platter.

It would seem that flies are important in meat platter. able nutritionally speaking, because it is vitamin and mineral while it would be fine to printed to simulate woven discrimed, label, over quarter have—some—of—the—new—fibre—draperies.—One-line—comes with of an inch thick. It is just like known as bacillary dysentery, of printed and pecan souffle," ex-dry white sugar, the purifying glass or nylon taffeta draper— a one-piece valance printed to treading on air, and the find a type known as Sligella plained Minnle. "Then it's nice process goes on. Finally comes infection. have to put up with something line has a two-piece valance to wear and should outlast. To show that flies could dare breathe until it goes to the dried, in the white colour and

> "All this tremendous work and machinery, and all this money that is invested to transform and plant that grows in the earth toa food that everybody can useand afford, it is fantastique," remarked the Chef. "I understand this big business was founded more than 100 years ago by a small business man with hardly any capital. But he was a good' merchant"

"Oul, Monsieur." I added, "it'sa fine example of the good old American system of individual' opportunity and free enterprise."

Dinner

Onion Soup with Cheese Croutons Baked Fish Fillets Louisiana Flaky Rice Celery and Tomato-Baked Bananas with Jelly a Coffee or Tea . Milk (Children)

For this use 1 lb. fresh or frozen fish fillets of any kind. Wash and dust with salt and pepper, Next peel and fine-chop I large onion; add 14. c. minced parsely; Oil a shallow casscrole or baking Put 2 thep, butter or margarine dish suitable for table service.

Baked Bonanas with Jelly

Allow 1 small green tipped from one banana. Place in a buttered or margarined baking dishi Pour over 1/2 cacurrant or other tart jelly combined with 3 thsp. After lunch we drove to the orange or tangerine juice, and

Trick Of The Chof

. When stewing celery and tocane pulp that remains is used mato together, add a little pow--(I G Greenough) to make feed, poultry litter and dered basil for a new flavour.



In the army, the navy and war plants millions the folks who make famous Jockey Underwear -

### -PRELIMINARIES

MATANY stores today advise brushed out or even lifted out washing-or at least rin- with a vacuum cleaner. sing-new nylon or silk hose before wearing them. The idea is to remove any finish used in manufacture at the start, and thus help stockings to wear longer. Clothing specialists of the U.S. Department of Agriculture suggest that this prewashing also may make for a closer, neater fit the first time the hose are worn.

DE sure overshoes are clean

a polish before wearing them the first time. A cont of good wax polish starts shoes out with extra protection against spots, stains and scutfing. The same suggestion holds good for smooth leather purses or pocketbooks.

sionally helps keep them clean, rub that causes the hole and with a vivid print in red, white affection.

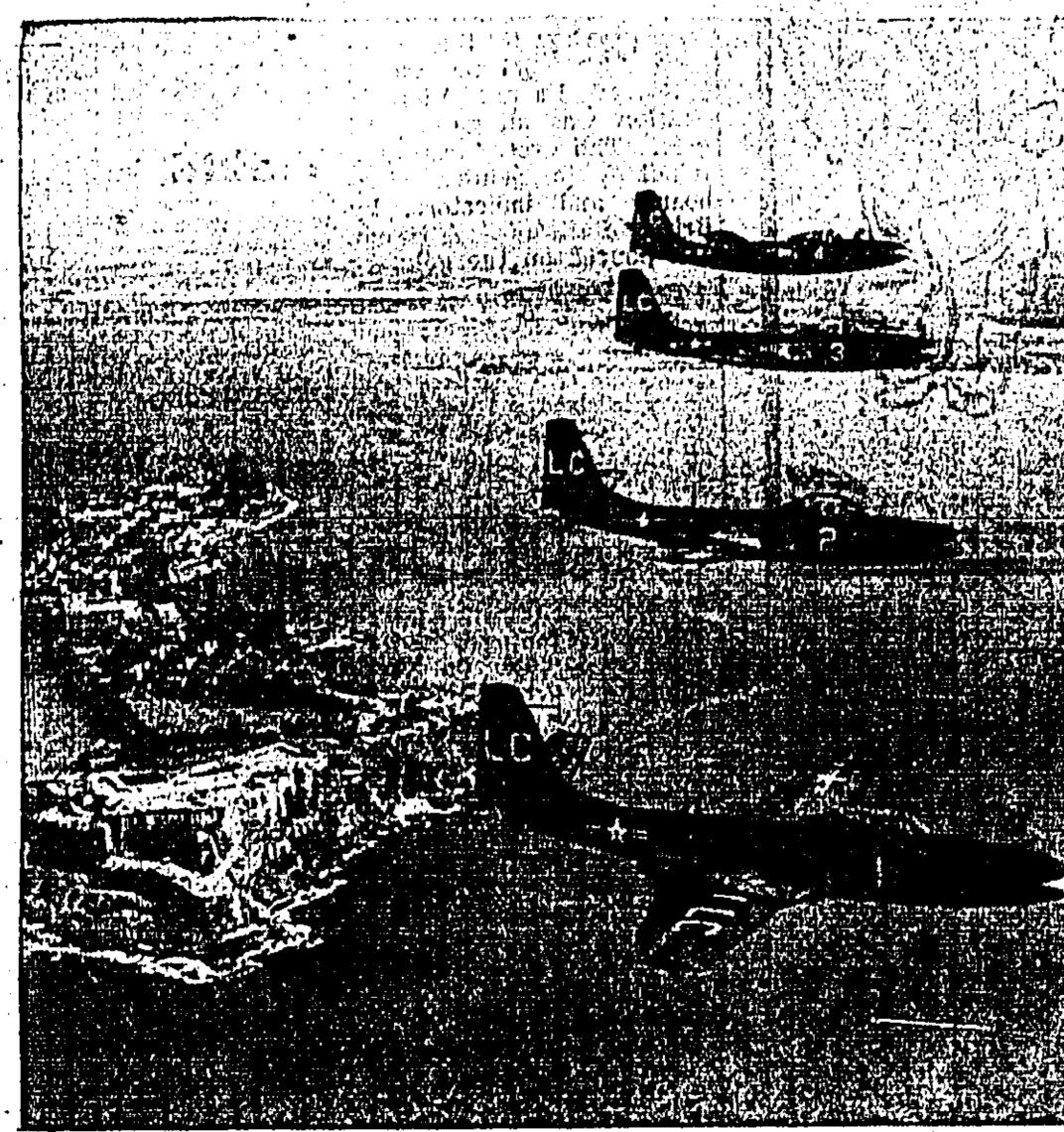
Dining Room Group

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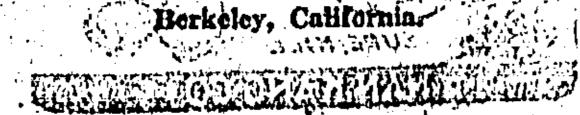
NEW OVER OLD—Phantom jet fighters of the 2nd United States Marine Air Wing fly over ancient El Morro which guarded the harbour of San Juan, Puerto Rico, for more than four centuries.



FULL HOUSE-Any firemen looking for a mascot should drop in on Engine Co. 183 in Chicago. "Bum," mascot of the fire-fighters, gazes proudly at the camera while supervising the actions of her six little puppies. The young ones have a long way to go before suitably filling the boots of their masters.



MAJORCAN, ART.—Mrs Dina Bowden shows a painting by Vicente Mulet, at a Majorcan art exhibition in





REHEARSAL STOP-Two well-dressed students play pool after rehearsing Harvard University's Hasty



Pudding Club show, "Tomorrow Is Manana."



OLD SOLDIER—Three of 56 WACs assigned to the U.S. Military Academy look over the memorial to Revolutionary War heroine Margaret Corbin in West Point,



PATTERN FOR A WINDOW-J. Gordon Guthric, of Durham and Son, draws a full-size enrioon from his design for a stained glass window for St Peter's Lutheran Church, New York.



CHANCE MEETING-Little Jeanne Christiansen is milk-feeding a stray fawn in Salt Lake City. Found by Jeanne's brother, Adrian, right, and a friend, in the city cemetery, the fawn doesn't seem to miss the call of the wild.



AT WORK AT DAM SITE Jackhammers drill a base for tail-towers of a cableway for pouring 3,000,000 cubic yards of concrete at Hungry Horse Dam in northwest Montana. The men are working on the canyon wall, 600 feet above a river. The \$100,000,000 project will be the world's fourth largest.



UNITED AGAIN.—Three generations of new Americans, the adults of which spent years in Nazi concentration camps, leave New York for Denver, Colorado, en route from Germany. They are, left to right, Mrs Abraham Berneman; her husband, Abraham; their child, Rackel. Mendel and Manys Walzman; and Mrs Rifka Walzman, mother of Mrs Berneman and the Walzman brothers.



HANDWRITING ON THE WALL-Adjudged a winner in his division at the National Western Livestock Show in Denver, Cupid doesn't know it but his days are numbered. Boot manufacturer Harry Schwarz gives owner Miss Lois Mae Hamm a token pair of boots. The 15-year-old miss will receive a pair made from the slaughtered bulls hide in the near future.



SHOWING TO-DAY DAILY AT 2.30, 5.15, 7.30 & 9.30 P.M.



MEI LAN FANG IN HIS FAMOUS ROLE AS FEMALE IMPERSONATOR IN THE FILM VERSION OF THE WORLD-FAMOUS

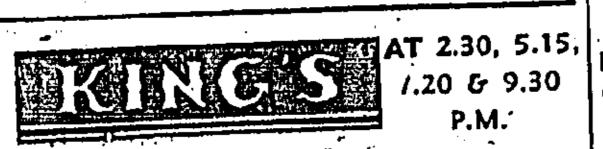
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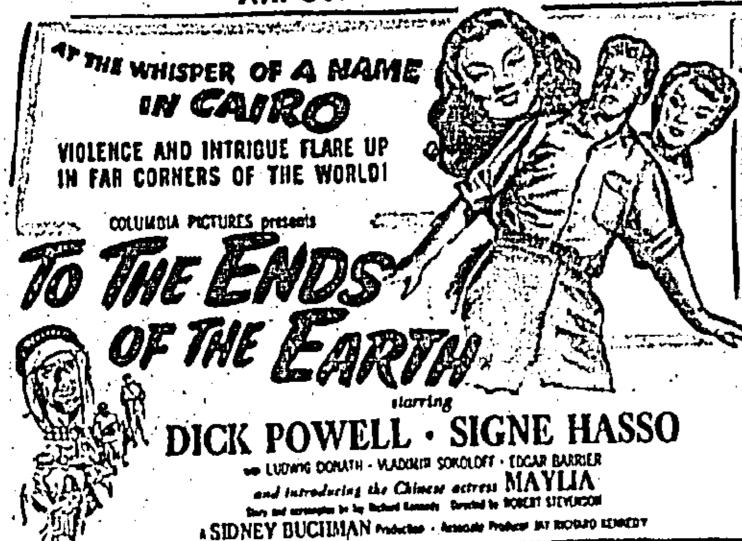
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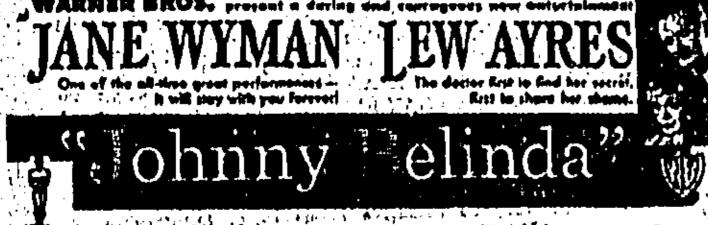


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Jano WYMAN wins The Academy Award, 1948. For her performance in this picture. NEXT CHANGE Valeria HOBSON: in

""THE SMALL VOICE"



## Happy land where people dom't care whether it is RONALD W. BAXTER WICHIGANY OF FIGURY

HE prisoners were enjoying their picnic until the two warders began quarrelling and brandishing their rifles.

The convicts disarmed them and marched them back to prison. So when the prisoners later went on a hunding expedition the warders were the only ones without shotgung

This happened in Sarawak. Britain's newest colony, and a country unique on earth.

Without lawyers, soldiers. Communists, trains, or time, it has a Lewis Carroll touch which the population are fighting to

#### Fabulous days

Lands of White Rainhs for more than 100 years until cession to the Empire in 1946, Sarawak still dreams of the inbulous days of those benevolent aristocrats, the Brookes.

Then the poorest rickshawpuller could visit the rajah's palace, and in a personal chat complain to the ruler of any injustice or grievance.

Now the rickshaw man must send-n\_letter-to-a-Government. department and hope for the best.

Most of the people realise the economic necessity for being at one with the Empire. What they object to is the threat that the personal touch may vanish.

"In the old days," said one an 'animal husbandry centre,' wak." We are not used to that sort of thing."

development planners who desinvestigate, say, the prospects of a Bengal Lancer." for growing cocoa.

They are wined and dlaed in Sarawak, spend a few very all that cocoa would be a hope- Then Sarawak gets them. less proposition.

that from the beginning.

If you are tired of looking at your watch you might like to try a spell in Sarawak.

In Kuching, the country's tiny cepital, I was in an argument: What day is it? It ended by everyone agreeing that it didn't matter. One old Dyak-member of the

Princess Elizabeth) in his riverside house. All the clocks tell different times.



In traditional dress, Dyaks mount a hewn stepladder to a Sarawak house.

and prophesy a great future.

thing - intelligence,

officer who "rules" 46,000 people,

The Dyaks are so honest that

"I buy them because it shows them Dyaks who used to hunt resident, "the Government called I'm prosperous," he said, "but heads but are now turning out a cowshed a cowshed. Now it is time means nothing in Sara- to be model Empire citizens. The administrators love them

For amusements, Kuching has And then there are colonial n cinema and a police band concert every Wednesday aftercend on the country. They sail boon. The cinema, built by the out from Britain first class to last Rance, was showing "Lives

and the walter brought me make good."-Wined and dined Scotch and sodas every half

At first the arrivals from Bripleasant weeks travelling about tain—especially women — go the country-and decide after nearly crazy with boredom.

Alan Dant, a young trader Everyone in Sarawak knew from London, told me: "I'm in love with the place, and my wife is, too."

A Government official said he disliked going home on leave because everyone was so impatlent. had to wait forty-five ashtray stolen.

minutes for a train at Reading." he said. "People were cursing all around, but I was quite the residents (administrators) FOOTNOTE: Sarawak (Borclocks (and five pictures of joyed myself during the time," tour the region.

There are half a million During the Japanese occupapeople. in Sarawak—half of tion the Dyaks showed their

This was so unlike the Dyaks that inquiries were made. A Dyak headman told what hap-

"The man was interfering men piloting his launch, ran it FHTHE famous nine old ing them for once in business on to a rock. I had posted a Dyak on a nearby rock to save the expert, for we didn't want to kill him.

Ran on to rock

violent pro-British sympathics

"Remember that Jap who hit

hundreds of the invaders.

a banana stem."

might revive.

all his equipment.

Some still talk about it.

me with a rifle butt because

didn't bow?" one will chuckle.

"His head came off as easily as

At first the British were wor-

"We saved all his equipment, Please come to fetch it."

Four hundred and fifty miles her father, away, in Singapore, lives Anthony Brooke, directly in line of ling platinum blonde ex-model, succession to the Rajahship of will argue her own case. Sarawak.

.He is banned from his former country because Whitehall fears Dai Morgan, a young district his presence there might lead to trouble from Brooke supporters.

The people of Sarawak say told me: "They've got everyloyal- this is nonsense and merely I sat in a wicker armchair, ty, honesty, and the will to helps Brooke's cause by making him a martyr.

#### I was told about the time Union Jack flies when the ship Rajah Brooken

thought the Rajah himself had standard But many people— questions" and "substantive again, and as for the debatable standard. But many people- questions." come back and thousands pad- British, Dyak, Malay, and Chidled down the river to meet nese-still wistfully recall the language before the nine old can make easy adjustments old days which made Sarawak men. Sald she: "I want to tell according to her wish, To offset their disappoint-

ment, they were invited to tour the vessel. Thousands toured the decks, cabins, and lounges calls itself a bus will completely trapezed. change its route and stick up a "A change of that type is not domage was done nor a single new destination eard depending enly unfair, it is usually fatal to forfeits £1,250 for every lb. he on where you want to go. The the victim of the change." other passengers don't mind.

happy. Why, I've waited days of large areas don't bother to neo) has an area of 50,000 principal native tribe—has to for boats in Sarawak and en- lock their houses when they square miles, became a British colony under an Act of Cession Redskins in the films. in May 1946.

# Willand

of Easter, Victoria sory. Station was all green and gold. The green was con- THERE was one of those stories about the tributed, in painted sign-boards and indicators, by to afford the upkeep of his state-British Railways. A timely ly home. Man was COUNT sun poured on the gold.

with their own comings and goings to stand and stare. Excited children clutched the first starting when cinema projectin buckets and spades of the tionists in 500 cinemas walked

Sald the Man at the Barrier, work. punching one ticket in three, "Why, it's just like Easter '39." He had the wrong year.

The last of the really prewar Easters was 1938. On Good Friday a year later MUSSOLINI the Rev. RALPH ALLPORT, a chose to invade Albania, a week Weymouth Methodist who was or two after his mentor HITLER indignant over the cvils of torhad walked into Memel and toise-racing.

The Cabinet was recalled LAIN swathed in net, salmonthere were trenches in St. tinental departure platform at Victoria Station had few pas-

by bringing out their old head-In short, we were having one hunting knives and decapitating of things to come was clearly CORTEZ. marked "Danger Ahead."

> Flashback to Easter '38: The chocolute firms promised two extra bites in every twopenny bar; the stores were advertising women's dresses and coats at £1 for the two garments.

ried that head-hunting, extinct And yet, how little we've for years before the occupation,

But knives have been But knives nove been sheathed. Men are cutting their of those film fights about distribution are order to blunt any cut from be- rangements was going on.

Alexander Korda (not then Recently an expert from Sir) won this one, against MARY Malaya was sent up-river in PICKFORD and SAM GOLD-Sarawak. He returned soaking WYN. There was a goodwill wet with the story that Dyaks pact signed — between our Amhad sunk his launch and stolen bassador LORD PERTH and COUNT CIANO in Rome.

The murder of the moment was that of PERCY CASSER-

RUE to the tradi- LEY, a London distillery directional colours tor, whose wife GEORGINA was accused of being an acces-

FRANCIS JEREMIE HABS-BURG-LOTHRINGEN, of Bar-The DUKE OF WINDSOR sham Manor, Norfolk, but the waited for his Duchess-but villain of the piece then was most people were too concerned Hitler (who was hanging on to the Count's money) and not SIR STAFFORD.

There were two strikes-one out-one ending as 1,750 chemical workers went back to

> pulled that cliche about going to New York in search of plays for West End production. The week-end's outspeken-vienr was

ON the West End stage HESLIE HENSON. from hollday; the seasonal pie- YVONNE ARNAUD, ARTHUR ture of NEVILLE CHAMBER- RISCOE, NERVO and KNOX could be seen-they still can. On the screens, the old familiar fishing, was not taken that year; faces of BETTE DAVIS, RO-BERT TAYLOR, VIVIEN James's Park, and the Con- LEIGH, FRED ASTAIRE, JOAN FONTAINE, (HEDY LAMARR was reserved for "Adults

Over the Enstertide ether came "In Town Tonight," "Palace of Varieties," the voices of those crises, and the shadow of VERA LYNN, LEON

> The streets the women. Liv looked little different from today's lady of fashion. Skirts. were this year's length, hairstyles were similar. The men paraded in grey chalk-stripesmany of them probably the same suits they are wearing this year.

AND there was the head-RALS ARE OPTIMISTIC," ns ELLIOTT DODDS, presiding. over the youngsters of the party, told them that the country was ready for a complete political landslide which might. put the Liberals back in power for a generation."

Even the date was the same. as this year. April 17, 1938, was Easter Sunday.

-(London Express Service).

## C. V. R. THOMPSON'S

New York. highest court are in IN-NEW-YORK the company

for a treat. Instead of giving learned opinions on such dry things as and it's stored in my house, the U.S. Constitution, they are soon to sit in judgment on a

What is more, the girl, dazz-Mrs Incz Gay, of Newark,

New Jersey, is not a lawyer. What law she knows she picked up from the public library. But she did well enough in the lower courts to win her case. which concerns the handling of treatment of their ailments, her mother's estate.

An appeal court reversed the services "very objectionable." decision, and when she lodged an appeal against that reversai she was told she was too late.

sion in the Supreme Court. Sho "the plunging neckline," some-The days of the White Rajahs has filed a petition full of such time called the Pneumonia. ching. Dyaks for miles round are over, The Union Jack now appropriate phrases as "extant Look. Necklines will go up

them that the appeal court act- CHOW od like a circus manager chang-The sort of country where ing an acrobat's act while the

Red Indians, they said, are after star. -(London Express Service) | too often portrayed as mean and

men of America's clothes, the Congressmen asked.

which makes all the Stars. and Stripes flown from American flag poles was accused of an. unpatriotic act-defrauding the Government on £6.000, worth battle between a pretty girl and of bunting bought from it for

DRESIDENT TRUMAN'S SOcialised medicine programme: ran into opposition from a fresh -and strong - quarter, the Christian Science Church. Speaking for the Church, James Watt said Christian Scientists, who rely wholly on prayer for consider compulsory medical

DESIGNERS working out the autumn fashions for Ameri-Mrs Gay is fighting that deci- can women promise to abandon She will drop that kind of cut with full hems so the buyer BUSINESS: Johnny

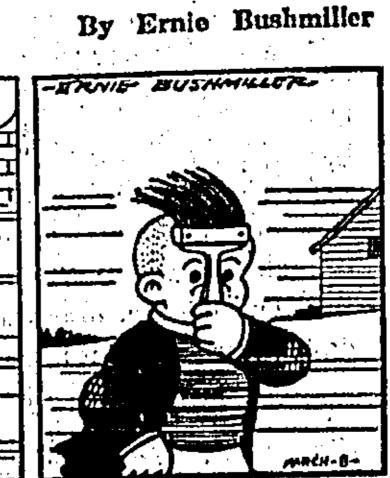
Weismuller, whose waistline even loday a box on wheels that star is in midair between the got too big for Tarzan, has his new Jungle Jim series-he Twenty-one, Shirley Temple THREE CONGRESSMEN from takes over the fortune she made I · Oklahoma arrived in Holly-, as a child star. ... Kirk Douglas, wood with a request that there who was mixing ice-cream shall be no more . villainous sodas just three years ago, is now Hollywood's most sought-.....(London Express Service)

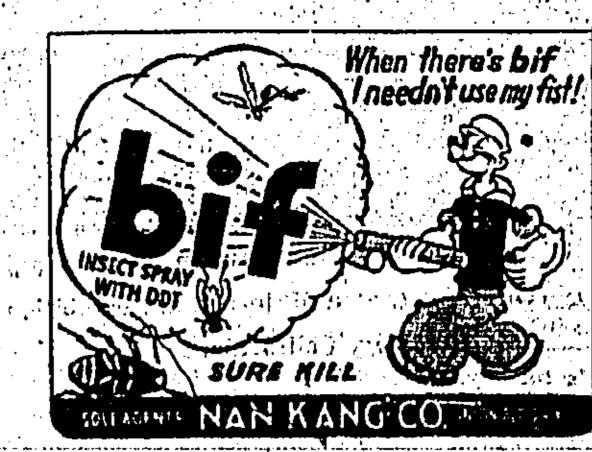
Stubble Trouble NANCY











## US "Cut-Costs" Group Steps Up Its Offensive

#### HOME **ECONOMY** AND ABROAD URGED

Washington, May 1.—Leaders of the Senate's bipartisan economy bloc today stepped up their drive to cut costs, both at home and abroad, to American taxpayers.

The group is confident it can trim enough off home front military spending, foreign aid and the new arms for Europe programme to keep the Government's books in balance without weakening preparedness plans.

## To Take Over dividual n proposals: All Public Utilities

Buenos Aires, May 1,-President Juan Peron today announced that all public utilities not already owned by the government would be nationalised under the new Argentine constitution.

the opening session of the Con- covery spending, wherever gress, said that utilities would possible, on the basis of combe taken over by amicable modity price drops. agreement if possible, but would | The administration insists be expropriated "when their that the arms programme-proowners refuse to accept reason- posed to back up the North able solutions."

lar natures, must be operated against the other, saving without the nim of profit."

He mentioned transportation, telegraph services, waterworks, Councily, said in the meantime and sanitary installations.

directly to the remaining lary of the Communist Party, foreign-owned public facilities who is on trial in New York. Senate Committee hearings on in Argentina, which are rela- would be called before his the North Atlande Treaty will In a letter to Mr Wagner, tively few, but it was pre- Committee to "head up" op- enter their second week to- General MacArthur wrote: "This sumed that they would be position to the North Atlantic morrow with the unanimous distribution of bibles has my affected equally with the enter- alliance. The Committee hopes approval of the Committee hearty endorsement and I sinprises owned by Argentine pri- to finish the hearing of "friend- virtually assured and the pros- cerely request any assistance vate interests.

utilities "implies no limitation or incipen to get the pass of the treaty in last week's "I have urgently requested the attacking Kunshan.

restriction whatsoever on pri- tiations going, is to testify to- hearings came from two Pocket Testament League to The number of the passent General Owner Brade restriction whatsoever on privalet initiative, whose contribution in the industrial, comtribution in the industrial, comtribution in the industrial, comtribution in the industrial, comtribution in the industrial comtr tribution in the industrial, com- former Secretary of War, Mr asked for permission to cross- Scripture other than the 1,000,--necessary to the development of former Supreme Court Justice, examine leading Governery organised and democratic former Supreme Court Justice, witnesses for ratification.

was nevoted to forendship gress, American Soviet Friend- the Treaty will be ratified by an with all other American nations ship Council, Furriers' Joint overwhelming majority that they and reiterating Argentina's de- Council of New York, and the are directing their major efforts termination to press her claims National Committee of Arts, to "selling" in advance the in the Antarctic, particularly Sciences and Professions, - military assistance programme to the Falkland Islands .- United United Press. Press.

#### Gas Nationalised

the billion dollar gas industry today. in four years.—Associated Press. Jalaketu.—United Press.

Flushed with victory from last week's Senate vote which sent the labour Federal security bill back to the committee for an overall five per cent cut, individual members made these

1. Overhaul of the military budget, as recommended by the Hoover Commission, to eliminate "staggering waste" and save an estimated \$1,500,000,000 a year.

Oakland, Calif., stunt

man is shown as he

leaped from San Fran-

cisco's Golden Gate

bridge (left) and as he

appeared in the water

(right) as a power

cruiser came up to pull

him out after his suc-

cessful plunge. It was

the first time anyone

had made a successful

parachute jump from

the span and was Niles'

second attempt to leap

from the bridge. The

ex-paratrooper was ar-

rested the first time

and again when he suc-

ceeded .- AP Picture.

Treaty Is

Assured

The strategy being oursued

with which the United States

ratification of the Treaty, they

Exhibition

with his art exhibit.

only require a bare majority of

**Paintings** 

Arts, the Foundation of Western

Francisco Museum of Art and

will implement the Treaty.

Approval

2. Sale of surplus United States arms to Europe at cut rates so that American taxpayers would not have to bear all of the \$193,000,000 cost.

Scrapping of the new arms programme completely in favour of a stronger US fighting force which would be available if any Western Euro-President Peron, delivering the pean untions were attacked. 4. A cut in European re-

[Atlantic security pact-must be considered separately from He said the enterprises to be the nation's own preparedness taken over included "all those programme, but the economy which, due to their own particu- bloc favours balancing one only to serve the community little here and a little there to case the financial burden. The Foreign Relations com-

mittee chairman, Senator Tom party Presidential candidate, The President did not refer and Liv Lagene Dennis, scerely" witnesses this week.

President Peron promised that The Robert Lovett, former well ahead of schedule. Robert Patterson, and the examine leading Government 000 which were in the original Mr Owen Roberts will also be

Another portion of his speech | Opposition witnesses will in- presentation of its case suggests was devoted to foreign relations, clude the American Slav Con- that they are so confident that

May 1.-Britain's three-quarters of a mile off Am-Labour Government took over brose Channel in dense for late light in Congress will come cumably further discussion.

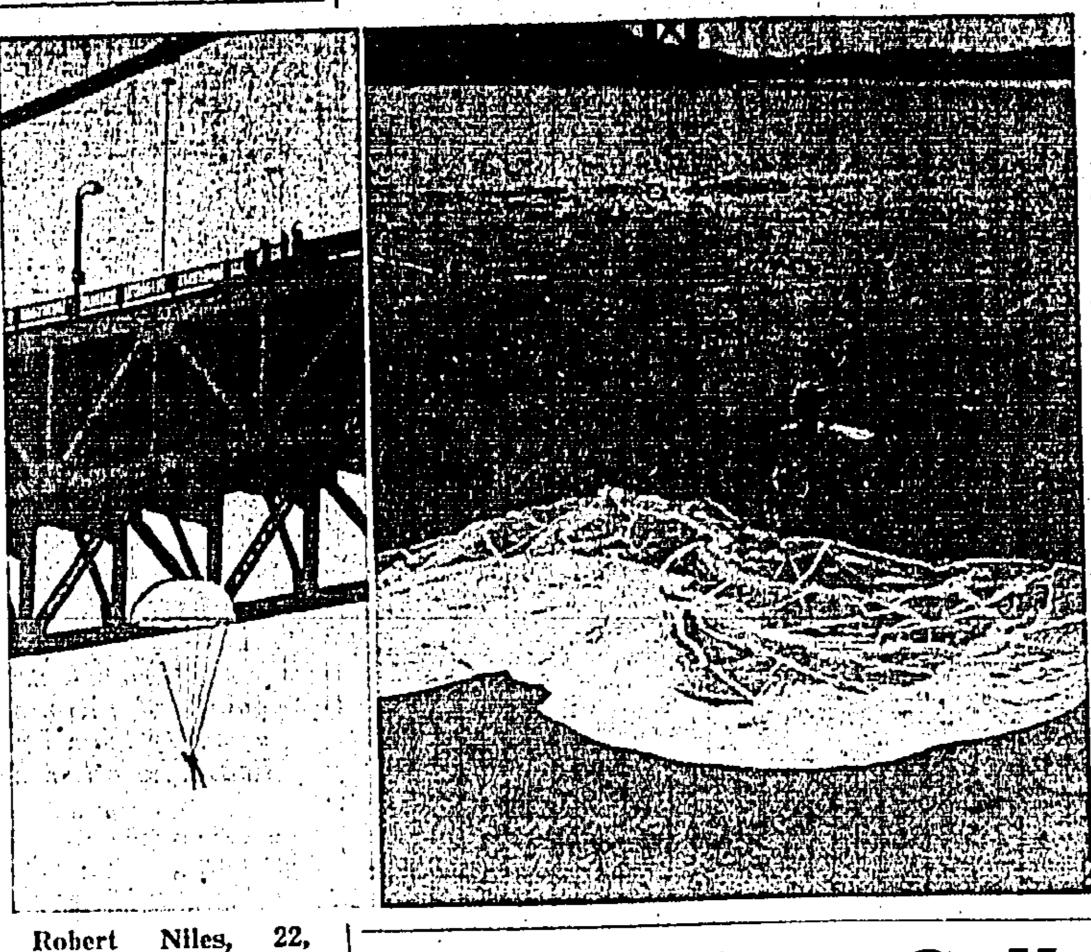
on Sunday. It was the seventh | The ships were identified as major industry to be nationalised the Marine Leader and the

By Galbraith SIDE GLANCES



"Now let's have your nine bright ideas about how this should be fixed before i start it, not after the project is

#### Chute Jump From San Francisco Bridge



## MacArthur Calls For 30,000,000 Bibles For Japan

Tokyo, May. 1.—General MacArthur believes that 30,000,000 copies of the Bible are needed here "to christianise Japan." General MacArthur expressed his views to

Mr Glenn W. Wagner, who is in Tokyo as foreign secretary of the Pocket Testament League.

This week Mr Wagner addressed more than 7,500 Japanese college students in several Tokyo universities, gave them bibles and outlined a programme for distributing some 10,000,000 holy scriptures throughout Japan in the next 10

Mr Wagner is in Japan at the invitation of General MacArthur and has talked several times with the Supreme Commander about plans to distribute 1,000.-000 pocket testaments in the first Washington, May 1,-The year of the programme. -

pects of the hearings finishing the representatives of League may need in the per-

## by the Administration in the BLOCKADE

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The effect of this may be to cretary of State for Political lose them some votes for the Affairs. It is assumed that he will Treaty itself but they will, at the same time, win other votes next see Air Acheson unless New York, May 1.—Two ships for the arms' programme when he receives an urgent call to collided in New York harbour that comes up for approval. Freturn to New York to resume It appears that the real has talks with M. Malik, Preover the military aid pro- will depend upon the Kremgramme and not over the lin's instructions to M. Malik Treaty. But, whereas the Ad- in the light of his report on ministration requires a two- last Friday's exchanges with third vote in the Senate for a Dr Jessup.

MORE SECRECY This meeting was reported to

Congress to authorise and ap- have been "satisfactory," but propriate the funds required the State Department yesterday for re-arming Europe.—Reuter, made it clear that secrecy had ucen re-imposed after the outburst of information last Tuesday, which followed the Russian |ch'n. disclosure of two conditions for rulging the Berlin blockade. the United Nations, M. Mallk, dict, however, that General Chann studied for eight years West German Government.

faculty before touring America Success said that M. Malik, in major, part, of General Pal's inspiration of President Ismet his last meeting with Dr. Jessup heavy equipment has gone Incunu." His paintings have been on Friday, gave new assurances South to Hengyang in Hunan.

These were that the Western Communist aggression." Art in Los Angeles, the San powers should simultaneously the New House Gallery in New measures and agree to a date for York. A number of his pointings in meeting of the Council of York. A number of his pointings Foreign Ministers on the Ger-

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# Hangchow

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mention the situation South of Lake Tal. There, it is believed the

Communists are making a during the first three months major effort aimed at Hang- this year were above exports chow and possibly the whole Northern coastline of Chekiang but expressed the opinion that province.

Shanghai was singularly quiet in the year. all day. There were no May Day demonstrations; no panie and no mass evacuations. The feeling continues to grow

that the Reds intend to seal off Shanghai and its immediate vicinity along the lower Yangise, and then turn their attention elsewhere, possibly to drive South either frem Hangehow or Hankow or both.-Associated

MORE AID PROMISED

the defence of Central China was reportedly promised General Pai Chung-hsi at a conference of military leaders here last year's 2,725,000,000. on Saturday night. The more aid pledge to Li Tsung-jen's right Chinese rice exports from hand man came from Chang Cochin-China were now blocked Kai-shek's Premier, Ho Ying- and resumption depended upon

General Pai told reporters following the conference that The New York Times, said to- Hankow will be defended to day that the Soviet delegate to the last. Observers here prehad "tacitly agreed" to the Pai's forces in Hankow-what Mr George Chann will be held meeting of the Big Four Foreign to move south should the Reds at St. John's Church Hall begin- Ministers on Germany must not swing westward toward the today for London. ning on Wednesday, May 4. Mr interfere with the plans for a Hankow-Canton railway. That rallway is General Pai's only praised the "astonishing proat the Los Angeles Art Institute | Sources close to the negotia- escape route back to his native 3ress made by modern Turkey and spent two years on its tions on Germany in Lake Kwangsi province, Already the under Kemal Ataturk and the

shown at the Palace of the that Russia would raise the Ber- General Pal reported that the Legion of Honor in San Fran- lin blockade on the two con- Hunan and Hupeh provinces undeveloped. resources and cisco, the California Art Club, ditions previously announced, are "solidly behind the Central industrial possibilities.—Reuter.

the San Diego Gallery of Fine These works that the Western trait authorities in resisting Gen. Pal made this statement R.

Hunan Governor Cheng Chien last month that he would do everything in his power to swing Time": 6.30. Orchestral

Shouson Chow and Mr Robert shortly after dusk today when of Hankow pitted against a Plano Orchestra Maleutynaki and the

## Chinese Estates Ltd: Profit Of \$300,000

ordinary yearly meeting of shareholders of the Chinese Estates Limited, held on the fifth floor of China Building this morning. Mr Leung Kwai-tin, Chairman of the Board of Directors, presided. In his speech, the Chairman

The not profit for the year, after providing for reserve. for-

depreciation on China Build-ings of \$60,000, directors' and auditor's fees and all expenses, umounts to \$263,318.74, which, added to \$82,019.38 brought forward from the last account, thows a total of \$345,348.10. The net profit for the year choivs un, increase of \$64,385.21 over that of the previous year. This is attributable to an increase in rent receipts of \$84, 358.65, dividends on share investments of \$6,007.50 and sundry receipts of \$272.00, which is counterbalanced by a general increase in the various items of expenditure owing to costs, amounting to about \$27,002,04. As was done last year, the

sum of \$60,000,00 is again provided for Reserve for depreciation of China Building, as your directors are of the opinion that, while the financial position of the company permits, our efforts to strenghten our reserves should be continued. During the year an interim

dividend of \$4 a share, less 10 per cent of tax, has already been paid. Your directors are now pleased to recommend a final dividend of \$5 a share, free of tax, making a total of \$9 a share for the whole year. After payment of the final

dividend, which absorbs \$82,500 there will be a balance of \$100,-848.10, which your Directors propose, with your approval, to carry forward to the new ac-Before moving the adoption of the Report and Accounts,

wish to express my sincere

thanks to the secretary and other members of the staff for another year's good work. Mr Lo Yuk-man seconded. **RE-ELECTIONS** Messrs, Fung Ping-fan, Leung

Ting-kal and Li Ka-sze were re-elected directors, on the proposal of Mr Leung Kin-wun, seconded by Mr Leung Sang. Mr Li Tung was re-elected auditor.

The communique mentioned Present at the meeting were the "Nationalist forces con- Messrs Leung Kwai-tin (Chairtinued to hold Chihtang, a man), Ll Yik-mul, Leung Tinghamlet about three miles North kni, Fung Ping-fan and Li Kaof Kunshan (35 miles West of sze (Directors) and the following shareholders: Mok Hon, The situation in Kunshan Leung King-wun, Leung Sang, was not clear. Telephone and Lo Yuk-man, Chang Yuk, Li rail service to that village were Tung, Li Chung-po and Leung

#### RICE EXPORTS INCREASE

Agriculture Department ported that rice exports from Siam, Burma and Indo-China for last year's similar period. there would be a decline later The Department said 1,900,-

000,000 pounds were exported from the "Big Three" rice countries during the first quarter of this year, compared with 1,430,000,000 in the same period last year. It pointed out that Slamese deliverles had more than doubled, but Indo-China's had declined and Burma showed only a slight increase. It said, however, that Burmese

rice exports were expected to decline sharply during the re-Canton, May, 2:-More aid for | mainder of the year unless civil strife there ended, and the total for 1049 may not exceed 2,000.-000,000 pounds, compared with It also pointed out that Indo-

> unpredictable political factors.— United Press.

Ankora, May 1.—Sir David Rolly, retiring British Ambas-An exhibit of the paintings of Western stipulation that any few there are—will be forced radior to Turkey, who has been

In a farewell message he Sir David said that he had

been impressed by Turkey's

#### remove all counter-blockade in the face of assertions by Kadio Hongkong H.K.T. 6. Programme Summary; 6.01, "It's

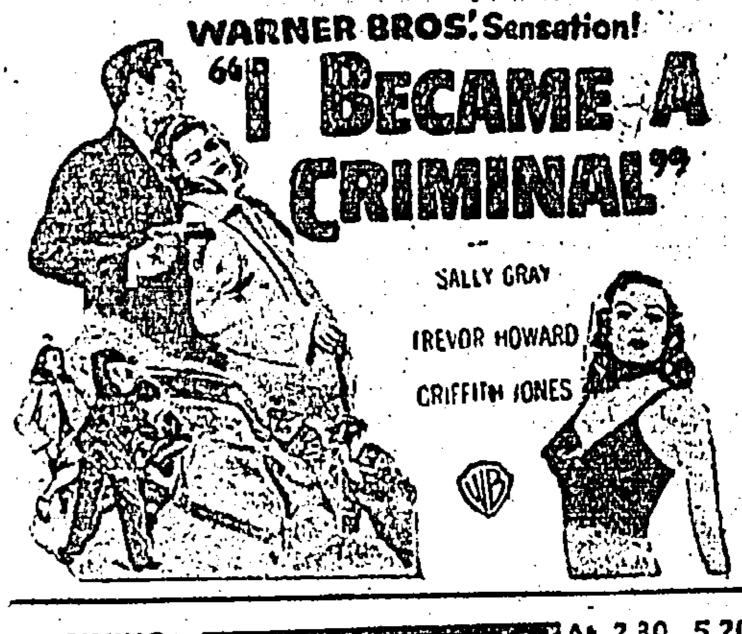
have been retained by these institutions.

Mr Chann's exhibit in interesting as the work of a teresting as the work of a Chinese who has concentrated on Western art. He returned to China only about a year age to China only about a year Mr George D. Hopper, American Consul General, Sir Shousen Chan and Mr Robert

Foreign Ministers on the Gersen in this power to "prevent the Central government from bringing the war to "prevent the Central government from bringing the war to Human."

Lieutenant-General Wang How Analysis (London Relsy); 8,16, News Analysis (London Relsy); 9,10, "A Talk by Oscar E Provis" (Studio); 8,25, Maniovani and of the Hankow Command, who came here with Gen. Pai, told (Studio); 9, "From the Editorias" (London Relsy); 9,10, "Concerto"; (London Relsy); 9,10, "Concerto"; (London Relsy); 9,10, "Concerto No. 4 in A Major for Shousen Chow and Mr Robert shortly ofter dusk today when of Hankow pitted against a Plano Orchestra Maleuzynaki and the

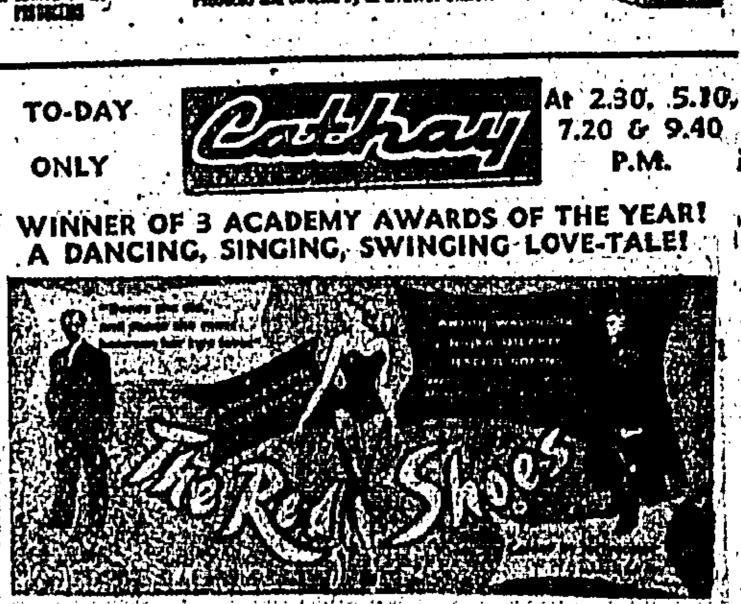






Douglas Fairbanks, Jr. in "SINBAD the SAILOR"





TO-MORROW:--ROBERT MITCHUM IN "PURSUED"

## Five Nations Win Through To Second Round

London, May. 1.—Britain and Czechoslovakia both gained 5-0 victories over their opponents in their first round European zone Davis Cup ties today, and will now meet in the second round at Wimbledon, starting

At Lisbon, Britain won all her matches against Portugal. With a decisive 3-0 lead yesterday 22-year-old May 14. Tim Lewis, former Cambridge University captain, was given his Davis Cup chance for Britain and he beat the Portuguese champion, Jose Roquette, by 6-2, 1-6, 6-1, 7-5. Tony Mottram made Britain's victory complete by defeating Jose Da Silva by 7-5, 3-6, 7-5, 6-0.

at Prague. ties South Africa, France Playing against the Dutch at to meet Denmark in the second Kramer beat Riggs and Dinny and Denmark have all team won the doubles match and LOS ANCE gained decisive leads now hold a decisive lead of 3-0.

round. received a walk-over The games between Czecho- 6-2, 5-7.—Reuter.

In Luxembourg, won by 5-0. France hold a 3-0 lead and have qualified to meet Denmark, which Home Turf leads Israel 3-0 in Copenhagen.

In all these matches 'two more singles games remain to be played, but the outcome of these will not affect the results of the ties.

In the games at Copenhagen, Denmark gained a decisive 3-0 lend over Israel when they won the doubles.

In this match Kurt Nielsen and Torben Ulrich (Denmark) beat Ralph Gonitzky and Yehuda Finkelkraut (Israel) by 6-1, 6-2, 6-1.

Denmark won the two opening singles yesterday and two more remain to be played to- danger two furlongs out, By gaining a 3-0 lead against the post was reached-

### International Horse Show

day finished first and third a failure at the stud in Kenin the third event of the tucky, whither he was exported Rome International Horse Show-the Viminale Prize- | falth, and, as a last expedient, which was scored on time sent Vagrancy, one of the best get a mile.

Captain Chevallier, riding mated with him. one minute 29.6 seconds, Second Eire's team's captain, Lieutenant-Colonel Dar Corry, on Antrim Glens, who did the course in one minute 40 seconds.

Commandant de Maupeou, of France, was third, on Rat d'Asturles, with one minute 43.4 seconds.

Spain was first and second and France third, fourth and fifth in today's second eventthe General Pietro Dido Prizewhich was carried out in heavy which was judged on time and

riders qualified. Spain's jump2 ing champion. Licutenanti Colonel Jose Navarro Morenes, was his second victory in the not?" show.—Reuter.

#### Japanese Delighted

Tokyo, Apr. 30.-Japanese sports circles today generally welcomed the Interhational Olympic Committee's decision to sanction the return of Japan and Germany to Olympic competition.

Toshiro Azuma, President of Federation, said, "It is most de- ren Wright's four-year-old Coal Mr Joel Murless, the master of the Japanese Amateur Athletic lightful news for the Japanese Town, half-brother to Citation, Beckhampton stables, has set sports world. We think the scored his seventh consecutive everyone a puzzle to solve to International Olympic Commit- victory this season by winning find his selection for the Derby, tee's action is a prelude to the \$50,000 Gallant Fox Handi- in which he had several others Japan's reinstatement in the enp at Jamaica, New York, entered besides the four already International Athletic Federation | There were six runners. and we intend to make prepara- In 20 races Coal Town has Reliable reports are that, all have been postponed until May tions, for that procedure."- won 15 times and ran second being well, it will be Royal 15 owing to transport delays.three times.—Reuter. United Press.

accounted for Monaco H. Bolelli and P. Remy 0-4. (France) beat G. Wompach | Czechoslovakia will meet Bri- professionals, Pancho Stgura, of and L. Werthelm (Luxem- tain in the second round. In other first round bourg) by 6-2, 6-1, 6-1 in the By winning a 3-0 lead against Egypt's leading professional, by

and reached the second The doubles match resulted in emerged victors over Parls by Eric Sturgess and Eustace 4-1 here today in an encounter Pannin (South Africa) beating which has been billed as an At The Hague, South Hans Van Swol and Iver Rinkel inter-city tennis match. (Holland) by 7-5, 6-3 6-4.

now meet Italy, which second round.

was suffering from science, 0-1, fessional tennis acc, 0-0, 6-3 in to Jacques Thomas 3-0, 6-4, 3-6, the last day of the professional riovakia and Monaco were play-

when Turkey scratched. ed in Prague where the Czechs Czechoslovnkia, who held decisive 3-0 lend yesterday,

## Favourites

No. 2: BLACK TARQUIN

Black colt by Rhodes Scholar out of Vagrancy. Owner, Mr W. Woodward:

trainer, Captain C. Boyd-

Rachfort. The 1948 St. Leger proved him beyond doubt the best three-year-old in Europe. Britt was looking round for and was pulling up when

This victory justified his trainer's tremendous confidence-founded on his Insight into the horse's qualities. never galloped him over the

Leger distance. Black Tarquin is something of a freak. His sire was not a Rome, May 1 .- France to- stayer, and was written off as

Mr Woodward alone had staying fillies to race in the U.S.A. during the war, to be

when I first saw him, at Free- Nimbus got of winning the mason Lodge as a yearling in Derby?" It would be foolish to 1946, Ho is now the most say that even though he lacks powerful-looking horse in stamina on his dam side,

When walking he appears stride out at all.

Like most good racehorses he is an out-and-out glutton. He has had to be kept in training all through the winter

miles at a brisk canter.

shortly from his visit to Mr likely to get at Epsom. Ascot Gold Cup as Black Tar- Derby favourites at 12 to 1, quin's 1949 objective. He caps the ever-present Peter Flower and Amour Drake

to resume riding in April. London Express Service

#### Coal Town's Seventh

New York, May 1 .- Mr War- Hylton.

Czechoslovakia, winner the second round.

The results were: Jaroslav professional, was beaten here professional today by Bobby Riggs, another professional today by Bobby Riggs, and the professional today by Bobby Riggs, and the professional tourney last year, easily matches yesterday and today beat Georges Pasquier 6-1; 6-0, 6-4, 7-9.

LOS ANCELES WINS Paris, May 1.—Los Angeles

RIGGS BEATS KRAMER Cairo, May 1 .- Jack Kramer, Associated Press.

expected Luxembourg, France has won the remaining singles to the American holder of the 1947 windled to meet Denmark in day.

In other matches played by Ecuador, bent Mohnmmed All, -Reuler.

#### Professional Tennis

In today's game, Frankie Par- | Cairo, May 1. — Panche Africa lead the Nether- Two more matches remain to ker beat Marcel Bernard, who Segura of Ecuador beat lands by 3-0 and will be played but South Africa are was suffering from sciatica, 6-1, Mohamed Aly, Egyptian pro-Sporting Club yesterday.-

## Nimbus Looms Up As A Derby-Prospect

London, May 1.—The surprise about the result of the Two Thousand Guineas, which ended in a short head defeat for the hot favourite, Abernant, by the 10 to 1 chance Nimbus, was not so much that the favourite lost but that it was Nimbus that

This colt, by Nearco, had been beaten "out of sight" by Abernant in the Champagne Stakes at Doncaster last year over six furlongs, and although Nimbus had won over a mile this season, which saw him a sound each-way chance, it did not seem possible that he should reverse the previous sixjengths defeat, even with an extra two furlongs to

sprinting mure, Rustom Mahnl, be up on this colt. and Nimbus, by the Grand Prix winner, Nearco, out of the six- not be asked to run at Epsom, winner, Kong.

does not get more than seven a winner at Sandown, over furlongs on a severe course, mile last week is stoutly bred,whereas Nimbus does at least Reuter

SPEED & COURAGE

The question now being The produce was a big colt asked is: "What hopes had Nimbus is not now a Derby prospect. After all, he won the muscle-bound. He can hardly Guineas because he had speed and courage and there was no sign of his faltering at the end

of the mile trip. On the other hand, there is to prevent him from becoming no guarantee whatever that he will bent at Epsom, over one Until a recent bout of cough- and a half miles, several colts rain. The event consisted of ing restricted him to trotting that he beat at Newmarket, eight jumps with all riders who the big black colt, with all four notably Peter Flower, Hindostan effected an errorless first round legs bandaged, used to take a and the French Amour Drake. qualifying for the second round, daily "constitutional" of two These three should appreciate the longer lourney and the His trainer, who returns softer going which they are Woodward, has named the Nimbus is now one of the but it is significant that

> question "Will he stay the 21/2 are at about the same price. with another-"Why It looks very much as if the Derby may be won by a coltwho had to resign the St. Leger chief among these being the Reed, Alves; Soares, Guterres, then Aspinal claimed two more match. Sussex 267 and 124 for mount to Edgar Britt, expects Beekhampton quartet, Royal B. Xavier, A. Marques and wickets, having Rabone caught a declared drew with Hamp-Welsh | Ruce. Forest, Faux Tirage, Ridge Wood, Lord Derby's Swallow Tail, the Gackwar of Baroda's Jai Hind, Mr William Woodward's American-bred colts, Lone

Eagle and Brown Rover, and the French challengers, including Royal Empire, which KMB was recently acquired by the RAF British band leader, Jack

mentloned.

Conquest

On their breeding, there was who has the tough task of little between Abernant, by the picking his mount for the one Derby winner Tudor out of a big race he has yet to win, will

It is clear that Abernant wil furlong Wokingham Stakes and none of the others seems to have the same strong stamina However, the race at New- qualifications that Royal Forest market showed that Abernant possesses, although Ridge Wood,

HOCKEY

## PORTUGAL

In spite of the inclement weather, there was a good or direction. gathering of spectators at the International Tournament hockey match at King's Park yesterday when Portugal beat Pakistan by eight goals to nil. In the beginning Pakistan did good defensive work, but Portugal eventually assumed full control of the game, with

splendid team work. mostly new and inexperienced. fast medium team bowling on K. Nazarin played well in a pitch which looked livelier goal for Pakistan The teams were

Samy, M. Khan; Z. A. Abbas, a hook and skied a catch to long R. All, Ghani; Hassan, M. A. leg after the stand had realised Wahab, N. Ebrahim, H. Ditta 119. and M. Yusuf. Portugal: - Beltrao: Gonsalves; R. Marques, W. A. from Coxon after scoring 82 and

YESTERDAY'S SOCCER

Results in yesterday's League soccer matches were: FIRST DIVISION 7 Klitchee 0 8. China "A" SECOND DIVISION Tramways 2 Police

> CHAMPIONSHIPS POSTPONED

Cairo, May 1.—The European basketball champlonships, due to commence here on Thursday, Forest and that Gordon Richards, Reuter.

#### BOWLS AT 89

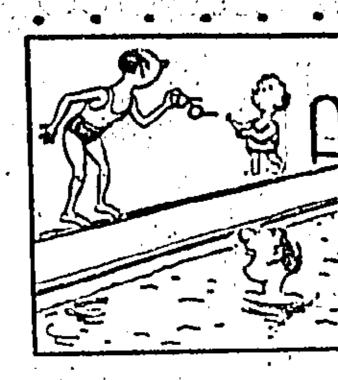
A match took place at White Rock Indoor Bowls Pavilion, Hastings, between two teams of veterans all over 80 years of age. The winners ranged from 81 to 87; the losers from 82 to 89.

The oldest player, Mr Jim Miller, 89, was formerly Hastings Corporation parks and gardens superintendent, and used to prepare the bowls greens in White Rock Gardens where the big annual Open tournament is played every summer. "Junior" was Mr

W. G. Sykes, who is 81. Bristol born, he was formerly an architect and surveyor in Lon-

-London Express Service.







STORM IS BREWING

By PETER DITTON

English cricket is sharply divided in itself. There are two points of view. One maintains that the introduction of players into a county team by means of a special registration is perfectly justified. The other will have nothing to do with it.

The special registration of players was an emergency scheme introduced by the MCC after the war. It was done primarily to enable smaller county elevens to build up their playing strength in a hurry to meet the rigorous demands of first class cricket, and at the same time to give young players, without a chance of getting into their own county team, the opporfunity to stay in the game by playing for another county.

Normally, of course, in English cricket, players qualify to play for a centain county by virtue of being born in that county. Yorkshire in particular attach the greatest importance to this qualification and will not play anyone in their eleven who has not been born in the county. You may recall incidentally that last year when Norman Yardley's wife presented him with a son, Mrs Yardley made a special journey from Scotland to Yorkshire so that when her baby was born he would be qualified to play for Yorkshire.

teams, many years ago the Tom Pritchard the New Zealand not agree with him. In their sidential qualification enabling wickshire. any cricketer to play for a

Bowling Analysis

COUNTY MATCHES

The close of play scores in

At Taunton.—Somerset 204

(Gimblett 88, Hever 6 for 34);

first class games were:

.--Reuter.

county after residing for one

## Zealand XI Opens Tour

. Bradford, Apr. 30 .- Bert Sutcliffe, the young New Zealand left-hander, showed a 15,000 crowd at Bradford today that he is worthy of the many eulogies which preceded his visit to England.

In a delightful innings played with the skill and temperament of a great player, he laid the foundation of his side's good score against Yorkshire. The tourists had put on 370 for 7 declared and Yorkshire replied with eight runs for no wicket when stumps were drawn.

V. J. Scott, a six feet two. inches righthander, who employs scarcely any backlift, but | Aspinal ...... 27 3 80 punches the loose ball hard, Coxon ...... helped Sutcliffe in an opening Yardley stand of 117.

Hadlee, Wallace and Don- Wardle nelly consolidated the successful Halliday ..... 4 0 18 0 start. No bowler took more advantage of the help given by a green pitch than Aspinal, who obtained five of the first six

RAGGED ATTACK tack looked ragged. The tourists T.H. Wade, the wicketkeeper. from Rhodesia." must feel very satisfied with This was the first meeting of their start of the tour. They the two clubs since 1897.

played the game in the best possible spirit and proved most refreshing to watch. Both Hadlee and Wallace were cautious against the off-The Pakistan players 'are breaks of Robinson and Coxon's 76, enabling the MCC to de-

than before lunch. Aspinal took his third wicket Pakistan:-K. Nazarin; Sabu when at 239 Hadlee mistimed

> Wallace gave Wardle his Glamorgan 27 for no wicket Nery, third catch of the day off a ball (Friendly game). Donnelly was joined by Burtt 115. Bailey 60 not out) and 61 and saw the play out until tea. for one.

Donnelly batted in his best form until he missed a legi break from Robinson. Hadlee declared (Robertson 95, Edrich seized the opportunity to 57, Nutter 76 not out), Essex 27 the champion to Manila: declare when Burtt had settled for two. down after an uncomfortable start. He became the first visit- | sity 328 (Van Ryneveld 78, Carr | ing captain to declare on the 131); Gloucestershire no runs the Rizal Memorial Stadium - abandoned.—(London Express opening day of the English for no wicket.-Reuter, 1 tour.

Yorkshire were given 20 minutes to bat and in that time Hutton and Halliday made eight THE SCOREBOARD

The scoreboard read: New Zealand

1st Innings Sutcliffe, e Wardle b Aspinal 72 Scott, c Wardle b Aspinal .. 41 Hadlee, c Wilson b Aspinal . 45 Wallace, e Wardle b Coxon . 82 Donnelly, b Robinson ..... 69 Rabone, c Coxon b Aspinal . 5 Mooney, b Aspinal ..... Burit, not out ...... 2 Cave, not out ...... 10 Extras ...... 16

7 (decl.) ...... 270

TABLE TENNIS Malaya Beats

Macao. Singapore, May 1.-- An All-Molnya table tennis team beat a visiting Macao teom by three games to two on Saturday night, This is the visitors first defeat after a run of successive victories over Malayan teams since their arrival in Singapore a fortnight ago.—Router.

MCC also introduced a re- Test bowler to play for War- championship winning side last the birth or the residential obtained from Middlesex by qualifications. But this business special registration. They had

bitter. It is claimed that certain years of war. counties are "milking" other counties for players instead of developing local talent: for all that a county has to do to obtain a player by special registration is to offer him a contract for a couple of years. It is as simple as that.

#### THE OPPOSITION

Speaking at the Lancashire

He managed to get life and first ball bowled in the 1949 draw their pay packets there, for himself that he has with some lift from the turf, but was first class cricket season. He while another (again he men- Glamorgan. Picking the cream? not consistent in either length dismissed Nigel Howard, Lan- tioned no name although ob- -not on your life. cashire's new captain, who, viously meaning Leicestershire) opening the MCC innings had two Australians and were Otherwise, the Yorkshire at- against Essex, gave a catch to planning to introduce a player cases where a player has not "I can assure you,"

continued, "that if Notts ever Jack Robertson and Bill interest will cease forthwith. Edrich, of Middlesex, opened It is the duty of every county their account for the MCC with of just picking the cream every step. But to develop local a century partnership, Roverton scoring 95 and Edrich 57. A.E. Nutter contributed an unbeaten

Is Sir Douglas right? Many people will tell you that he is and that the special registra- a vicious circle. A county can tion is making a farce of only draw crowds if it has a

#### Fights For Louis In Manila

At Hove.-Friendly two-day world heavy-weight champion, tightening up their regulations. Joe Louis, is scheduled to arrive Although in certain exceptional in Manila for exhibition bouts circumstances players are still early this month.

sportsman and promoter, has and far between. At Lords.-MCC 378 for 8 gone to Guam to accompany It has served a useful purpose and Jim Wilkins next Thursday ject if next season this At Oxford.-Oxford Univer-

But because so few English year in that county. This was cricket. But one county in counties have first-class cricket the qualification which enabled particular—Glamorgan — would year. Glamorgan had no fewer No one has any grouse against than three players whom they of special registration is causing to get them because they had one of the biggest storms since been unable to discover sufover-hand bowling was intro- ficient youngsters good enough duced. Criticism against it is to fill the gaps caused by six

The three whom Glamorgan

obtained from Middlesex were Muncer and Hever, who between them\_\_took over 200 wickets last season, and Eaglestone who scored over 500 runs. These three undoubtedly played u big part in Glamorgan's suc-Leader of those most strongly cess, and if there is any one opposed to this method of ob- player to be singled out it is taining players is Sir Douglas Len Muncer whose off-breaks McCraith, Chairman of Notting- accounted for 139 wickets at a camshire County Cricket Club. cost of less than 17 runs each. From these figures it might County Cricket Club's official appear that Sir Douglas was opening ceremony in Manches- justified when he claimed that ter last week, he declared—| countries were "picking the "some countries are behaving cream." But it is really inilke football teams faced with teresting to note that when relegation and the special re- Muncer was with Middlesex he gistration scheme introduced was considered not as a bowofter the war is being exploit- ler but as a batsman. It was left to Johnny Clay the veteran He pointed out what one Glamorgan off-spinner to prove county (he mentioned no name | Muncer's true worth. And it is although it was fairly obvious fairly safe to assume that if he was referring to Northants) Muncer had remained with London, Apr. 30.—Trevor had eleven players who have Middlesex and had been played wickets for 62 runs to finish up Bailey, the Essex fast bow- no connection with the county occasionally as a batsman, he with an analysis of five for 80. ler, took a wicket with the apart from the fact that they would not have made the name

> veloped, with his home county but has made the grade uphave a team on those lines, my on moving. No county wilt. willingly import players if they can produce good enough to help its young men instead material on their own doortalent requires money and to get money a county must be able to draw the crowds. It is good enough team and so on. After six years of war and, incidentally, no cricket, the special registration regulation undoubtedly came as a blessing to many counties. Now, four years later they are beginning Manila, May 1.—The retired to settle down and the MCC are allowed to move by special re-Ted Lewis, prominent Manila gistration, applications are fewer

by bringing new blood into the Louis will fight Ray Stephens game but few countles will obnight in a charity exhibition at controversial regulation

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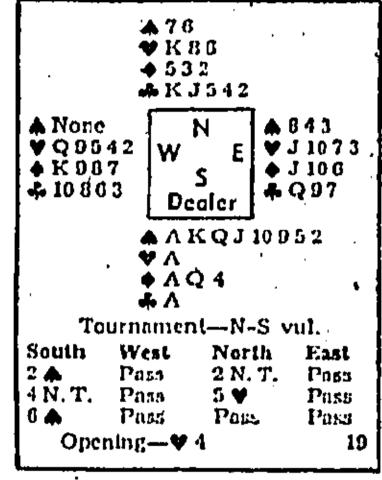
#### . MCKENNEY ON BRIDGE

Must First Give Up Trick to Get Slam

BY WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY TRACTICALLY every bridge book that is written reaches my desk, but it is surprisingly difficult for me to keep these

Recently I was looking for a book written by Mrs Olive Peterson of Philadelphia and the late Milton C. Work, published in 1933, and entitled "One Hundred and One Celebrated Hands in Contract Bridge." The book was gone. To my amazement, I found that even Mrs Peterson did not have a copy of the book. However, she promised to try to locate one for me, and shortly thereafter I received a copy from William F. Sands of Haddonfield, N. J.

Mr Sanda said he thought that Hand No. 47 was one of



the best in the book, so I am i mates. giving it to you today,

The opening bid of two spades by South asks partner to respond with aces. When North bids two no trump, he denies holding any aces, and also deales holding three kings or a king-queen and a king. South's bld of four no trump is the Blackwood convention asking for kings, not aces, and the five heart response shows

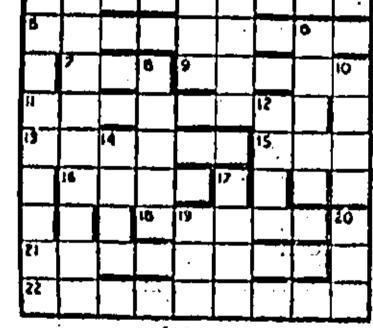
rectly. But if South, after winning the ace of hearts, eashes the ace of clubs and then leads the deuce of spades, deliberate- Spring vegetables. They've done ly giving up a trick, there their Spring cleaning. They'v's is no way to beat the hand, given the inside of O'Cheer Hall East will win the first spade a new cont of paint, I can't imtrick with the eight-spot, and agine what they can be so busy now declarer has an entry into about. dummy-the seven of spades. He can discard the queen and four of diamonds on dummy's two kings.

#### Check Your knowiedge

1. What is lithlum? ....Name-the-two-occurs-that meet at the Strait of Magellan What is a moat? Who invented the sand-

5. Name the four states in the United States that begin Pixle O'Bean popped his head in them, as he took them around remember names and faces as the early part of your life, 6. Are bats blind? (Answers at foot of Column.)

#### CROSSWORD



- He makes the hoe run big. (U) Comprising all the particulars 7. Conveyance. (3) 9 and 10, 1 meant me In the
- interval. (a) . When one is called a pear it is matinity with this accompaniment. (4-4)
- 13. A brilliant discovery. (6)
  15. Hard as a stone and valuable
  (3)
  16. Sparse. (4) 18. See 8 Down. 21. The state of being kindled, (ill) 22. To Bherlock Holmes it waelementary, (9)
- 1. She gives you the runs 1 mage 2. Egg on, o s. Bingularly quite a lot have been int down. (3) 4. The Scot will call it an evention but it could be liquor in which
- something has been botted, 141 d. Bend a word to the mountains 8 and 18. Where you may have b Ouso Hebo. (4-5)
- 12. It takes a long time for sage 14. Many a test has been suspended
- 17. It should fit to do this. (4)
  19. The school of bootcleaners? (3)
  20. The back of a sedan. (3)

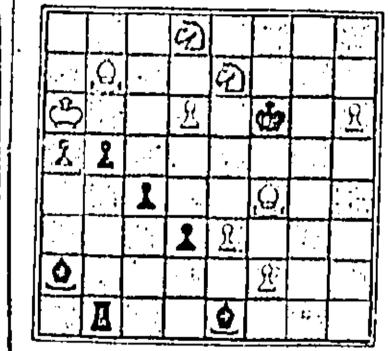
#### CHECK YOUR KNOWLEDGE Answers

1. An alkali metallic element. 2. The Atlantic and Pacific Oceans. 3. A water filled ditch around a castle. 4. The Fourth Earl of Sandwich when he called for two slices of bread with a slab of beef between. 5. Wyoming, Wisconsin. Washington and West Virginia, 6, No., They have small, but very keen eyes.



#### CHESS PROBLEM

By E. E. ZEPLER (BCF Tourney 56) Black; 8 pleces.



White, 9 pieces. White to play and mate in three, ed houses. To the north is the

### Delightful Town to Visit

By TEMPLE MANNING

MALICING with an omeial of the European Recovery Programme, I learned how things are going in beautiful and sunny Italy, It isn't only in new industries, in increased efficiency and production, but also in little things, our friend

For instance, he had occasion to visit Vinreggio, that most beautiful resort and shipbuilding and fishing centre tucked away on a lovely corner of the Mediterranean coast, And what pleased him was not only the activity in the workaday world, but that again there were artists from everywhere busy sketching and painting this delightful town. And how much there is to see and register!

Shallow Bays The coast at Viaregglo is in- Italian towns.

dented by a series of shallow to be for ever changing.

streets with low, green-shutter-Solution to Saturday's railway that runs to Genoa, and on the south is the sea. There is a uniformity about Kt-Kt4, any; 2, Q, or Kt the broad sunny streets and the houses, which is rare in

### Shadows Help the Pixies

-In Spring They Had a Lot To Do-

By MAX TRELL

two kings. The six spade bid KNARF, the shadow-boy with by South signs the bidding off. In the turned-about name, lis-In the play West opens the tened for several moments with four of hearts, which South his ear to the little hole at the wins. Now if South runs off the foot of the Old Oak Tree. Then spade sult trying to squeeze the he turned to his sister Hanid and opponents, they can take two said: "The Pixles are all busy in diamond tricks and defeat the O'Cheer Hall. I can hear them all contract, if they diseard cor- running up and down and talk-

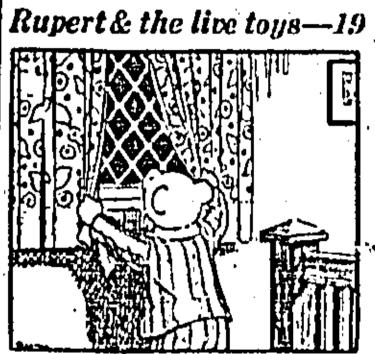
"I wonder what they're so busy about?" Hanid said. "They've already planted their

#### Heard Voices

At that moment, a little head was stuck out of the hole. It was down the narrow winding stair-Pixle O'Bean. "I heard your case that led into O'Cheer Hall voices," he said. "We're very in the roots of the Old Oak. The busy downstairs." Before Knarf voices of the Pixles sounded DORN today your originality. Your quick mind penetrates Pixies were busy Pixle O'Bean continued: "We they went inside." yellow paint, and some oilcloth, time!"

come back. Come right down- brushes and scissors. "What is ward. ferent coloured paints. "And that Pixie O'Bean. plece of olicioth," reminded

However, Knarf and Hanid set blue jays." about getting the paints and the ollcloth. A few minutes later, a crowd of beetles and dragon you are equally close-mouthed Let your birthday star be your



What Mrs. Bear has said doesn't keep Rupert awake, and he alceps soundly. But in the middle of the night he sits up suddenly and switches on the light. " Now, why did I do that?" he murmura. "What disturbed me? Something must be happening somewhere. He peeps through the window, but the night is very dark. Then he hears tiny noises. "Good gracious, I do believe the giraffe and hippo are moving about down below he whispers. "I'must see what's the matter."

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their arms laden, they started flies and caterpillars. Several about your affairs. Pixies were splashing them with "yellow paint. "But what are you going to do with the ollcloth and the green paint?" Knarf asked.

Last Table last table. There stood a whole carefully. family of frogs. With their seisped them with paint. Then they familiar activities: spotted them with yellow, dried vests and they have to be water- Not too good for romance. proof. This is certainly a busy

even busier." "When?" asked Hanid. Pixle O'Bean, "You have no idea influencing people! what a job it is to keep painting VIRGO (Aug. 24-Sept. 22)- PISCES (Feb. 20-Mar. 21)red and the grass—the millions Take the initiative. works as hard as a Pixic, and and business, are now favour- today. Things will move no one knows how hard a Pixle ed. Make definite advances in along normally if you put forth



Some Pixics were painting very selective. You are enough feathers blue, "Those are for the of an individualist not to want in store for tomorrow, select

time for us. But it's going to get

Viareggio, Italy

Busy Shipyard bays. All along the sandy beach When last we saw Viaregglo, are vast stretches of dark, the shippard was a busy, bust-fragrant pine woods, and be-ling place specialising in the hind them rise the great ranges building and repair of large of the Carrara Mountains. The and small coastal vessels and tall umbrella pines catch the fishing smacks. Alongside the exactly what happened? sunlight, which glints through yards, running up from the to the ground. The tall pine sea, is the canal that goes to nothin' when up come, a slimy trunks frame levely pictures of Pisa. On its bank stands a bloke and arst for a pen-wiper, mountain and sea, and the great equal tower that used to Not knowln' e was a dirty spy, colours of the mountains seem serve, and probably still does, I sold 'im one for twopence. ns the town gaol. It is said The town itself is some dis- to have been built by the spy, what 'ad bin 'idin' be'ind

is made up of rows of straight great days, but for what purdespite all the legend and speculation. There isn't much to see in Vlareggio from a sightseeing

angle, but it is a wonderful spot in which to just rest and enjoy nature in one of her benign moods. One strolls through the shady walks of the pine woods, or sits in the shelter of one of the curious but picturesque thatched hoghuts on the sea shore, or walks Do you cultivate about the Piazza d'Axeglio facing the sea.

Ready for Business Ishort vacation. Near to Viareggio is charm-

ing Pietra Santa, with its lovely old square, its cathedral, quaint old-world city gate and the fountains against the hill tanism, which rises steeply behind the lovely little town. (Tomorrow-Science At Work)

## YOUR BHRTHIDAY

or Hanid could ask what the louder than ever and they heard D and inventiveness are out- to the heart of a problem, inabout, footsteps pattering around. Then standing. If possible, you will stantly, and you can't see why try a new way of doing some- others haven't the same ability. need some red paint, some green Pixie O'Bean came rushing up thing. Your adaptability to all It would be well for you to paint, some blue paint, some to them gladly. "You're just in kinds of circumstances is ex- become a little more forebentceptional. This can work to ing .with others less talented Please get them for us. You'll All the other Pixles were sit- your advantage if you keep than yourself. find the door open when you ting at work tables with paint your ideals high and adapt up-

TUESDAY, MAY 3

-Avoid all kinds of complica- -Don't think the world tions. Undercurrents may in- against you. Perhaps you Pixle O'Bean took them to the fluence your life. Regard them haven't

CANCER (June 23-July 23) them and put them on the frogs. -Property matters can be "They're not so beautiful," said handled successfully now. Keep Pixie O'Bean, "but frogs like your mind strictly on business.

A fairly good day for all 19)—If job hunting, you should merchandising. You can sell be able to find what you want "In the summer time," said more by making friends and today. The public is buying

the buttercups yellow, the daisies Get busy today. If you've Make general gains although yellow and white; the huckleber- been dreaming of romance, they may appear more evident ries purple, the apples green and make those dreams come true, on the domestic rather than the of blades of grass-green. I LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)- ARIES. (Mar. 22-Apr., 20)sometimes think that no one Partnerships, both domestic Don't expect the spectacular

business front.

now; sell goods profitably.

normal energy.



## BYTHE

### by Beachcomber SNAPDRIVER: In Articles 91-1107 inclu-

sive of the Mackerel-Fins (Processing) Order, Defence of the Realm Regulation 98642, it is laid down that the only kind of penwiper which may be sold in the open street from barrow, handcart, perambulator, wheelbarrow, or small refuse cart is one made of

Mrs Butterscotch: I bet none o' you gents 'ad ever 'eard of 91-1107 inkerlusive till you 'ad ter bring up somethin' agin me. Cocklecarrot: Mrs Butterscotch, do you know what contempt of court is?

Mrs B.: If I don't by this time, your worship, it ain't frough any fault o' these 'ere gents, if so I may call 'em. Suppdriver: Mrs Butterscotch, you seem to forget you are on trial.

Gooseboote: Will you tell the court in your own words hirs B.: I was thinkin' o' Then up come another dirty tance from the pine woods and people of Genoa during their a pub, and 'e starts a lot o' stuff about countervenin' the realm. pose we have never discovered. and 'awls me orf for breakin' the law. Then I'm dragged in 'ere to listen to a lot o' baby-

Gooseboote: In other words, ments expires on June 151 you were unaware that you were breaking the law? Mrs B.: Quick orf of the

mark, aren't yer? A nod's as good as a crack over the 'end to a blind forse like you. (Cocklecarrot laughs loudly, and checks himself suddenly).

ear-glamour? TINY dab is enough, says An fashion-writer, referring, In Spring, all the little shops not to fish, but to the possible along the square take down the arrival of a craze among shutters and get ready for women for painting their ears. business, as do all the old-type But I knew a woman who, bathing machines. Everything is seeing a line of area railings hustle and bustle, for again marked "Wet Paint," ran her the season is here and Via- right can along them, from reggio gets ready for the west to east, then her left ear, hordes of visitors who turn from east to west, and turned up each year for the season, up at dinner with ears that for a few weeks, or for just a "simply dripped glamour," to quote a guest.

Are you cultured? Plotinus wrote 54 Acheids and

was famous for his Neapoll-WHAT is wrong with that

sentence? -(London Express Service).

Fond of music and the arts,

To find what the stars have

turn up today and may prove

20)-Make a definite advance

on all fronts. Domestic and

social, as well as business, are

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21-Feb.

profitable.

favoured.

MONDAY, MAY 2

you may have some talent, but

stairs with those things as soon everyone doing?" cried Hanid Since you have a fine it is likely that you will use as you can get them." With that, and Knarf. Pixie O'Bean showed memory it is easy for you to it only as a hobby. During again, and left Knarf and Hanid O'Cheer Hall. Some of the Pixles well as facts. You may be your abilities may not be fully to wonder what the Pixles were were painting bird feathers red. outwardly jovial, and con- appreciated. Thus, it is likely going to do with so many dif- "Those are for the robins," said genial, but when it comes to your successes will come later making close friends you are on. to interfere with others. You your birthday star and read On one work table, there were rarely, if ever, give advice and the corresponding paragraph.

dally guide.

TAURUS (Apr. 21-May 21) SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)

GEMINI (May 22-June 22) - plans. sors, Pixie O'Scowl, Pixie Mc. Matters of the affections are SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Giggle, and Pixle O'Long cut the favoured as well as general Dec. 22)-New opportunities, ollcloth into little vests and dip- business if you stick to especially in the business field,

LEO (July 24-Aug. 23)-



### Pound Not To Be Devalued, Says Cripps

Rome, Apr. 30.—Sir. Stafford Cripps, Britain's Chancellor of the Exchequer, said today that no devaluation of the pound sterling was being contemplated.

Britain's economic chief arrived yesterday for talks with Italian officials.

He will visit southern Italy next week for a brief holiday .- United

### Swedish Trade Talks With lurkey

Stockholm, Apr. 30.-The present negotiations in Ankara on the Turkish-Swedish payments are expected to be followed in May or early June by negotiations in Stockholm on the list of goods to be exchanged after the current agreement on trade and pay-

Swedish exporters believe that the same pattern of payments will be used for the new agreement.

The overall figures so far on the exchange of goods after the current agreement was signed on June 15, 1948, gave Turkey a slight export gain over Sweden of 194,000 Swedish kroner worth of goods,-United

### **CHICAGO GRAINS**

Chicago, Apr. 30.

Prices in the grain market on the Board of Trade here today closed --; wollot 'en WHEAT price per bushel. ..... 2.17-8<u>i-</u>3<u>i</u> September ..... 1.94-15-54 December ..... 1.96-74-15 December ..... 1.14-7a-1.15 May 1.22 May ...... 1.15-76-1.16 July ..... 1.04-54-1.04 October ..... 1.01-12 —United Press.

### Bank Shares Decline

London, Apr. 30.—The Stock Market here this week, although called "quiet," inflicted sharp shooting pains on some people here and there.

Shareholders of the Hongkong and Shanghal Banking Corporation saw their expensive shares drop £11 to £90-10-0 on the shares buyers sellers sales sweeping advance of the Chinese DANKS Communists. This illustrates the difficulties with which inbeen co-operating vestors are nowadays conenough. Reorganise your

Reports that the Berlin blockade might soon be lifted drow attention to Europe. There was a surprising demand for Czech 0 percents, which jumped CAPRICORN (Dec. 23-Jan. £6 to £63.—United Press.

#### Cotton Surplus Anticipated

Brussels, Apr. 30.-The International Cotton Advisory Committee today advised its Standing Committee Washington to find ways increasing the world consumption of cotton to balance anticipated world surplus.

A survey of the world cotton situation published during the 60-day meeting here estimated that the world production for 1948-49 would be 15 percent higher than the preceding season. It said that for the first time since the end of the War, world production would exceed market demands. - United

Business was done in the local 20 west marks, unofficial exchange market this morning at the following rates:-Sterling pounds note (per £1) 16.11 U.S. dollar (per '\$1) ...... 6.24 bureau reported that 600 per-FIC plastres (per 100) ..... 10.05 sons were buying large numbers

## THE BUSINESSMAN Canadian Gout.

## Expected To Relax Austerity

#### Before Election June

Ottawa, May. 1 .- Relaxation of some of the Canadian government's austerity measures is regarded as a certainty between now and the general election on June 27.

The government has indicated from time to time that the regulations will be eased as the country's supply of gold and United States dollars is im-

Recent government announcements indicate considerable improvement in the exchange position.

It is thought likely that the government will increase the annual allotments of dollars for travel south of the border. Observers note that the holi-

States funds to each individual port on the disposal of surplus US. The addition of perhaps another US\$100 to this amount might not tax the country's dollar fund too heavily.

The government made one major concession to tourists at the years end. It announced cally all the surplus in the that Canadians travelling the US could bring back US\$100 though not delivered to the worth of American goods duty purchasers. free.-Associated Press.

## Called Italy

Rome, Apr. 30.-Communist Labour officials today called a the Far East. The total amount' nation-wide strike of Italy's of property transferred under 2,000,000 farm workers for next the Chinese and Philippine

and contracts. At the same time the Chemi-

cal Industry Workers' Union

announced that it would strike

on Tuesday unless its wage de-

mands were granted. The Bank of Italy ended the second week of its strike without any sign of a settlement.

The Communist party issued a

May Day manifesto calling for

higher wages. of May Day. All transport will stop and all shops will be shut. Mr E. B. Blatchley, a SCAP official, and Kelzo Fukai and Giuseppe de Vittorio, will ad-

## HONGKONG SHARES

The turnover on the Stock Exchange this morning was \$139,500.00. Transactions noon prices:

HK Bank, .

East Asia. ..

INSURANCES

Canton, .... 330 350 HK Fire, .. DOCKS, ETC. K. Wharf ... ..... 17!4 18 200 @ 173 Provident. 7 100 () 7 LAND, ETC. 500 @ 10% HK Hotel, . 10.10 1000 69 10.20 S'hai Land, . 2 220 UTILITIES Tram. Star Ferry, . C. Light (0), .... 12 500 @ 11.80 C. Light Rts .... 7.40 Electric, .. 2914 280 M 2014 Mineno Electric, ... Telephone ... 800 @ 18 STORES. ETC. 31 100 ₼ 30 Dairy XD ... Wateon ... 43 1100 at 40 Emporlum, . 500 (# **9** 

## Demand For cmome in

Hanover, Apr. 30.-German bank Officials here reported today that the possibility of the lifting of the Berlin blockade had caused a heavy demand. for Russian zone currency. In two days the price of 100

## Almost All US Surplus Goods In Far East Sold

day season is approaching. The State Department today sent to allotment is \$150 in United Congress its 13th quarterly re-Washington, Apr. 30. - The property abroad.

> It disclosed that the Philippines bought surplus goods originally valued at \$1,000,000,-000 for \$137,000,000.

The report said that practito Far East had been sold, nl-

In the Pacific Far East area, which includes China and the Philippines, but excludes Burma and India, these was a total of \$339,894,500 worth declared

In the case of the Philippines purchases, a substantial part of the surplus was donated under the Philippine rehabilitation programme.

The report added that it is impossible at present to give a detailed summary of sales in agreements are awaiting documentation, and, in the case of The strike is intended to en- the Philippines, will possibly " force demands for higher wages | rot be complete until after the close of the fiscal year.—United'

## Jap-Pakistan

Karachi, May L-Three members of the SCAP-sponsored Japanese trade mission to Pakistan left early this morning Rome will be virtually a for Tokyo by Pan American

Waklehi Toh, who arrived in dress a party rally.-United Karachi on February 27, completed their mission yesterday after concluding a provisional Japan-Pakistan trade agree-

Mr E. B. Blatchley, a SCAP .

Four engineering experts of: the seven-man mission left for ... Japan last week. The Blatchley party is expected to reach. Toklo on May 3 .- United Press...

#### **OUTWARD MAILS**

USA, Canada, Central and South America via San Francisco:

(No Parcels for Canada), 3 p.m., Commencing from Tuesday, May 3, and until further notice, the outward air mail to United Kingdom will be closed on Tuesdays and Thursdays: CPO, Kowloan, 4.30 p.m.; and GPO, Hongkong, 5 p.m. (Registered .. mail haif an hour earlier).

Commencing from Tuesday,

May 3, and until further notice

the outward air mail to Singapore

will be closed as follows:

Tuesdays and Thursdays,-GPO, registered, 4.30 p.m.; ordinary, 5 p.m. CPO, registered, 4 p.m.; ordinary, 4.30 p.m. Sundays,-GPO, registered, b. p.m. (Haturday); ordinary, 10 a.m. (Sunday), GPO, registered. 4.30 p.m. (Haturday); ordinary, 10

a.m. (Sunday). Unless otherwise stated, registered articles and parcel posts close 30 minutes earlier than the ordinary mail. If mails close before 10 a.m., registered and parcel posts close at 5 p.m. on the previous day. Mails are closed at Kowloon Central Post Office half an hour earlier than the GPO closing times.

MONDAY MAY 2 Closing Times By Air Liuchow, Swatow, Amoy and Taipeh

Closing Times By Sea U.S.A., Canada, Central, South America via Ban Francisco (No Parcels for Canada) 3 p.m. Formosa, via Takoo 3 p.m. Manila I p.m. Swatow 3 p.m.

Shanghai and Japan 3 p.m. . . . TUESDAY, MAY 3 Closing Times By Air Rangoon, Calcutta, Karachi (Basra,

Nairobi Mombasa, Dares Salsam, east marks rose from 16.50 to Mauritius, Johannesburg and Cairo .via Karachi) Alexandria, Itomo and ... London (Kowloon C.P.O.) 4.30 p.m.; (O.P.O.) 5 p.m. Bingapore, 5 p.m. Manila, Iloholulu, U.B.A. and Canada d p.m.

Air Parcel Posts for Manils, Hono-lulu and U.S.A. (Kowloon CPO) 4.30 p.m.; ·(G.P.O.) 'l p.m.

BHE IS IN BAFE HANDS ~











# May

## PARADES, INCIDENTS

London, May 1.—Throughout the world today, the traditional festival of May Day was celebrated by workers and trade unionists with demonstrations, marches and speeches. In the Eastern European countries behind the Iron Curtain, Communist leaders reviewed huge parades of workers.

In Belgrade, Marshal Josef Tito, the Yugoslav Premier, watched May Day parades from the saluting base in the main square of the capital. Tanjug, the official Yugoslav news agency, reported that the diplomatic representatives of the Soviet Union, the People's Democracies and other countries were at the saluting base with him.

In Paris, large crowds watched contingents of May Day marchers file past the reviewing stand in the Place de la Bastille, where the leaders of the Communist-led CGT (General Confederation of Labour), headed by M. Benoit Frachon, reviewed the parade.

In Ceylon, simultaneous mass

munists, Leninists, Bolshevists

workers in all parts of the world

In Amsterdam, about 45,000

stration, which was organised

Secretary of the Dutch Com-

Dutch henchmen."

of the Government.

all Polish towns, the Radio add-

"WE WANT PEACE"

declaring that intolerable totali-

tarian systems were being im-

posed on Greece by violence,

ARAB: COMMUNISTS

The main slogan carried by of the Imperial Palace. Parades the workers were "Union of wound through the streets withthe Workers for Brend, Peace out incident. Liberty." The loudest in Durban, heavily armedcheers - and laughter - were police patrols reserved for two tiny girls, streets against possible deabout three years old, who monstrations. Meetings by Commarched proudly beneath the munists and coloured workers banner War is Death. We were banned.

want to Live." A notable absentee from the meetings were held by the Comdemonstration was the Communist lender, M. Maurice Thorez, and Labour Parties, who urged who attended a May Day cele- the Ceylonese to unite with the bration at Monipellier.

General Charles de Gautle, in the fight against "imperialist addressing an open air demon- domination and capitalist exstration, called upon the French ploitation." to "liquidate this reparatism" - the Communist | people held a May Day demon-

In Rome, The Communist-led by the Amsterdam branch of General Confederation of Labour | the Dutch Communist Party. staged a mass meeting in the Music, flags and banners and Piazza del Popolo, where rain- 150 "Peace Doves," released bedraggled. Soviet and Italian from a hollow globe, gave the flaga decked the speakers' gathering its colour. rostrum under a 40-foot high painting of the "Dove of Peace."

PRIESTS MARCH The Communst Secretary that for Dutch workers "it was a question of peace and bread the community o a question of peace and bread of the Italian CGT. Signor Giuseppe di Vittorio. warned the demonstrators to "beware of the machinations of the imperialists, who are trying to get the workers of the world including a fly-past of aircraft. Organisation · last night to fight one mother."

At the nearby Plazza Navona, the non-Communist General Labour Confederation held a de- cluded field artillery, tanks and age limits to protect young monstration. Priests marched rocket guns, was reviewed by workers underground. with the demonstrators, who the Polish President, M. Boles-were told by Signor Guilio Pas- law Bierut, the Polish Com- Two resolutions, supported were told by Signor Guillo Pastore, head of the Confederation | that only by refusing, to ally themselves to any but their own country could the Italian workers keep their self-respect.

Pope Pius received a group of | ed. Neapolitain workers in the Vatican today. He told them that the Church "always blesses the worker and his labour."

He added: "The Church ! always loves the worker, blesses his conditions of labour, defends his just wages and blesses his ed. "We Want Peace." Only a family."

The Church, he said, hated Communists marched by, carrywar and wanted peace between ing posters denouncing the Atthe whole great human family." lantic Pact and the policy of the In Vienna, only one slight in- Prime Minister, M. Paul Henri tion. cident between Socialists and Spaak, and his Socialist-Catholie Communists was reported. So- Coalition Government. cialists paraded about 200,000strong through the streets, bigger-than-ever May Day hoped that the age would About 50,000 men, women and parades by the Labour Party and eventually be raised to 18. children paraded with the Com- the Communists, There were no | Before closing their session munists, carrying slogans read- clashes or incidents. The slogans the delegates accepted in prin- July 4, are likely to be posting: "The Atlantic Pact means of the Labour Party were direct- ciple a sub-committee's report

In Prague, about 200,000 took next autumn's election campart in the May Day demon- paign. strations. M. Klement Gott- Communist Party supporters itself should dake an interest wold, the President of Czecho- carried banners denouncing in the vocational re-training of tee, appointed by the Governslovakia, raviewed a military President Truman, Mr Winston men who could be re-absorbed and civilian parade. He said Churchill and the Atlantic Pact. into the industry.—Reuter. the "fighting parade" demon- In Athens, Greek newspaper strated the Czech people's workers' unions today sent a zolidarity with the progressive May Day message to press forces of the world in the "fight unions throughout" the world. against new warmongers."

#### 7-HOUR PARADE

Budapest, 'n two-hour with support from foreign coun-Army march-past preceded a tries. Day parade of 500,000 In Tel-Aviv, a crowd of Hung rian workers. The largest 40,000 in the city's main May Day parade since the war, stadium heard the Israell seven hours to pass a given Myerson, appeal to "workers

now morehing in Moscow, point In Sofia, about 250,000 May Washington, Parls and London Day marchers were reviewed by to strive for peace." the Acting Prime Minister of Bulgaria, M. Vessil Kolarov, and other members of the Labour rallies in all the Government in Sofia's Parlia- principal towns and parades of said, according to the German ment Square.

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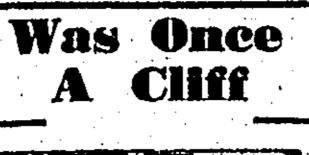
over 200,000 demonstrators in all political parties took place started counter-measures "quite Bucharest today, "peace" was in Polestine. the word that occurred most The loudest cheers in Tel- misconception of the political often, both on banners and in Aviv were heard when Arab psychology of the peoples." the marching songs of the Communists, carrying the Red Dr Schumacher urged the

General Demeter Petresco, ad- the workers. dressing the gathering on be- The demonstrations were or- that of "subject," with a will half of the Central Committee derly and were marked by the of its own and a "creative of the Rumanian Workers obsence of police and other se- nower." His party would con-Party, accused the United curity measures. | tinue to seek German unity States and Britain of fomenting In Germany, Dr Kurt Schu- despite all obstacles and diffi-

Party, M. Gheorrghiu Del prospect of new talks between people attended the two Comdelivered a May Day address, the occupying powers and said munist May Day demonstrations. He was present, at the march- the Russians had "started to Snow and rain in Munich

unionists demonstrated in front of German nationalism," he ter.

## World Celebrates





## Million Italians To Be Resettled

Paris, May. 1.—Nearly a million Italian citizens will be permanently re-settled throughout the world during the next four years under emigration plans presented by the Italian Government to the Economic Co-operation Administration, Mr Boris Shishkin, Director of the Labour Division in ECA's Paris headquarters, announced today.

## gathering its colour. M. Paul de Groot, General Protection munist Party, told the meeting

against the war threat, of Pittsburg, May 1.-The American capitalism and its Coal Mines Committee of A five-hour military parade. the International Labour marked Warsaw's May Day adopted three separate recelebrations, Warsaw Radio reported. The parade, which in solutions fixing minimum

mander-in-Chief, General Rola by Government and employer United States Maritime Com----Similar-parades-were-held-in-at-16.----

delegates of the 10 nations re-In Brussels, 300,000 marchers | they will now be submitted to | 17,000 Canada 10,000 and the paraded through the centre of the International Labour Or- United States 8,000. bands. The demonstrators shout- Geneva for final decision.

Sir William Lawther. Prefew police lined the route as the Union of Mine Workers, strong- ter. ly supported the third resolu-

The age limit of 17 years would be a "humane and In Oslo, large crowds watched human step," he declared. He War," and "We do not want any ed mainly against the right wing on the re-training of disabled Opposition in anticipation for miners.

This said the mining industry

#### INDIAN MERGER

Bombay, May 1.—The Indian state of Baroda today merged with Bombay Province. In a "farewell message" to

his 3,500,000 subjects, the Gaekwar (Ruler) of Baroda, known in the West as a race-horse procession took nearly Minister of Labour, Mrs Golda owner, said "I feel relieved of a very great burden and respondibility, and more so as I am putting you and your destiny in mightler hands."--Reuter.

Government workers, soldiers, news agency, DPD. In a May Day march-past of sailors and representatives of The Western Allies and belatedly and under a complete

fing and Marxist slogans, ap- German people to go forward Before the procession started, peared during the march of from the position of "object" and an instrument of policy to macher, at a May Day meeting culties, he said.

The Secretary General of the in Hanover today, spoke of the In Frankfurt, only about 800 past, which took place in hot realise their political plan." caused the cancellation of summer weather.—"An attempt is being made to Munich's open air demonstration In Tokyo, Japanese trade mobilise for Russia the forces in the huge Koenigsplatz.—Reu-

These plans are aimed at restoring the long-established flow of Italian emigration to the Western hemisphere, interrupted by the war.

"Unemployment in Italy,

hampering recovery efforts, is the No. 1 manpower problem in Europe," Mr Shishkin stated. The Italian labour surplus had accumulated over a period of years and ECA was "deeply concerned" in helping to solve the problem. The Italian Government's

plan was dependent on the availability of shipping space and the conclusion of bilateral the United States intends to see agreements with each of over a that any arms supplied to the dozen countries which had ten- Atlantic Pact countries are used tatively agreed to receive the strictly to reinforce the Atlanemigrants. ECA had suggested that the

Zymierski, and other members delegates except for the United mission should provide Italy States and Canada, set the age with 10 ships for the purpose. ECA officials estimated that 222,000 Italians would be re-The third, backed by worker rettled outside Europe in 1949. Argentina, the biggest receivpresented, fixed 17 as the limit, ing country, was expected to Because the motions conflict absorb 161,000 this year, Brazil

the capital, accompanied by five ganisation's governing body in | Other absorbing countries inelude Venezuela, Peru, Colombla, Bolivia, Uruguay, Paraguay, Chile, Central American tions. sident of the British National Republics and Mexico,-Reu-

## ELECTIONS

elections, due to be held by tioned for an period, sources exose to the be used to smash native revolts Government stated.

The informants said that the Election Supervisory Commitsident Sao Shwe Thaike that the elections be postponed indefinitely owing to the "steadily deteriorating conditions in the country.' The sources added that

postponement might necessitate an amendment of the Con-Day-January 4, 1948.—Reuter. | transferred.—Associated Press.

is close to the edge of slide. Trees protrude from what was 100-foot deep water.—AP Picture.

Nisqually,

This air view shows

feet into

historical

Sound, barely

where a cliff roared

missing the edge of

Salmon Beach (right)

beach community at

Tacoma, Wash. A heavy

carthquake three days

previous was blamed

for the slide. Old Fort

landmark (upper right)

Bome

Puget

## Atlantic Pact Controlled

Washington, May 1.-Government officials said today that tie nrens' defences.

Administration plans outline United Press. conditions in advance to prevent diverting any American

The officials said that this means that the Dutch and French could not use American guns, ammunition and equipment in Indonesia or French Indo-China because the U.S. would reserve the right to half all arms shipments to any country violating these condi-

The officials emphasize, however, that they expect no trouble on this point.

#### FIRM CONDITIONS

Firm conditions would be written into the arms contract Rangoon, May 1,-Burmese | mainly as precautions.

> Some Congressional demands indefinite that American arms should not in the Far East colonial areas are presumably a factor also.

To strenghten this policy. serious consideration is being given by the State Department to adding a provision specifying that American arms cannot be used to free an equivalent amount of home made weapons for shipment elsewhere.

Government officials working on the problem said that they clitution which lays down that expect little or not trouble in elections must be held within keeping a close check on 18 months of Independence American arms once they are



"Rosemary forgot her nightgown. Can she borrow. one of yours?

# On China

Washington, May 1.— Major-General Chennault of the CAT (China Air Transport) this week will give two Congresional committees his views on the situation in war-torn

Senator Pat McCarran, chairman of the Joint Congressional "watchdog" committee on ECA aid, said that General Chennault had acan invitation to testify before McCarran's

F. Knowland disclosed that General Chennault will also appear before the Senate Arm-;" Services Committee. The sake, They have been needing sessions of both committees will rain badly here," she said. be closed.

to extend more military and on the Island is closed. economic aid to Nationalist China. Senator Knowland has tion's China policy. The "watch in the day, she may climb up dog" group is officially known to the ruined palace of Tiberius Foreign Economic Co-operation, the dissolute Roman emperor is

#### RECENT WITNESSES

During the past year it has

Two of the most recent witnesses to appear before the joint committee were Roscoe Emeritus of Dean Pound. Harvard Law School, and Mapor-Gen. David G. Barr, who headed the United States Joint Military Advisory Group to China.

newspapermen at the National sembly." Press Club on Wednesday.

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taken testimony from various experts on the Far East. Five Sinators and five Representatives, Democrats and Republienns, comprise its member-

tionalist China while General by 1955. Barr's report was considered | Speaking at the International more assistance.

Major-Gen. Chennault has from disaster. long been an advocate of quick





### RAIN KEEPS **PRINCESS INDOORS**

Republican Senator William in Capri today—the first for nearly fire months—spoiled Princess Margaret's plans for "I am glad for the Islanders'

The Princess spent most of the day reading in her room. Senator McCarran is the She was unable to go to church author of the controversial bill as the only Protestant Church

The rain stopped this evening. Tomorrow, her last day in demanded Congressional in- Capri, the Princess plans to go vestigation of the Administra- yachting in the morning. Later as the joint committee on near the precipice from which taid to have hurled his victims during the 10 years he lived on the Island.

The Princess will leave the Island on Tuseday in the same Italian naval launch which brought her to Capri, and will visit the ruins of Pompeli in the

She is expected to leave for Rome on May 6.-Reuter. . .

## World Govt

Blackpool, May 1.-Mr Henry. Usborne, Labour Member 10f Although they testified in an Parliament, today said that he executive session, it was known thought it possible that world that Pound favoured aid to Na- government might be established

"negative" on extending any Rotary Conference here, he said that only fast work in this direction could save the world

Mr Usborne, Secretary in United States aid to the Na- Britain of the Crusade for tionalist government. In the World Government, said it was light of recent developments, hoped that in the next, few CASTLETONE FINE STATIONERY Washington is waiting with months an unofficial ballot interest to learn his views would be held in Britain to General Chennault has been in- select English representatives of "S. C. M. Post." vited to speak to Washington the "People's Constituent As-

This, he said, was the name to be given to the proposed Conference of Delegates, each representing 1,000,000 of the ---Reuter.



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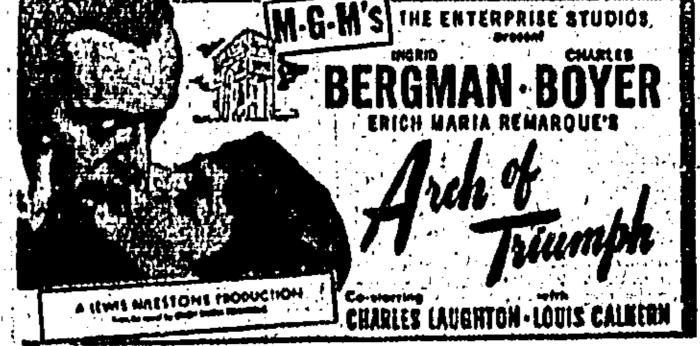
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